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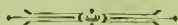
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BARR'S 'PURE' GRASS SEEDS

Produce Beautiful Lawns, Tennis and Cricket Grounds, Public Parks, &c.

 *Renovate Lawns, &c., in September, after the wear and tear of Summer. For renovating 20 to 30 lbs. of Grass Seed are required per acre.*

The following Mixtures of Grass Seeds are all thoroughly cleaned, and cannot fail to give the greatest satisfaction. There are neither clover nor coarse grasses in the mixtures.

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FOR FLOWERS, VEGETABLES, FRUIT, AND LAWNS.

PHYTOBROMA we can confidently recommend to our Customers as a valuable food for all kinds of plants, being rich in those Chemical properties essential to the health and productiveness of vegetable life.

It contains a large percentage of phosphates and potash salts in a form acting directly on the roots of a plant. It is cleanly to handle and without offensive odour.

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Prepaid Orders for 28 lbs. and upwards sent Carriage Paid to any station in Great Britain and any port on the Irish coast.

A Few Practical Hints on Bulb Culture.

PROPER CONDITION OF SOIL.—Only plant bulbs, when the ground is in a nice friable condition, and never when the soil is wet and sticky. Better plant later in good friable soil, than early in wet saturated ground.

PREPARING GROUND FOR BULBS.—After digging or trenching, the ground should be allowed to settle at least ten days before planting. If planted on freshly trenched ground, as the land subsides, the bulbs will be drawn down below their proper depth.

DEPTH TO PLANT.—Many amateurs have a tendency to plant too deeply, and thousands of bulbs are destroyed annually by too deep planting (crocuses especially suffer from this error). The proper guide to go by is the bulb itself, which should be covered with soil once and a half to twice its own depth but not more, *measuring the bulb* from its base to its shoulder. Thus a daffodil bulb measuring two inches from base to shoulder should be covered with three to four inches of soil, and a crocus bulb measuring one inch in depth with only one and a half to two inches of soil.

PROPER TIME TO PLANT AND BEST POSITION.—Information on this subject is given at the heading of each family. Amateurs frequently fail with many bulbous plants through planting at the wrong season, thinking that because September is the proper time to plant crocuses, all other autumn bulbs should be planted in the same month, whereas such families as Ranunculi, Ixias, Sparaxis, &c. should not be planted before November at the earliest, the best time being generally immediately after Christmas, or as soon as the ground is in good working order after that date; if planted in September they are almost sure to be killed.

MANURE FOR BULBS.—All bulbs object to the ammoniacal properties of manure, consequently hot or fresh stable manure should never be used to dig in the ground for bulbs, but only well decayed stable or cow manure (chicken manure is poison to bulbs, being too full of ammonia). The safest manure for bulbs of all description, out doors, is phosphatic basic slag, price 7/6 per cwt., 8d. per 7 lbs.; this should be put in ground with the bulbs at the time of planting at the rate of 1 ton per acre or 7½ oz. per square yard, and after planting, sprinkle on the surface of the ground sulphate of potash at the rate of 2 cwt. per acre or ¼ oz. per square yard, price 2/- per cwt., 1/6 per 7 lbs.

Bulbs in pots should have a surface dressing of 'Phytobroma' when showing top growth and again when in bud (see page 2 of cover).


TOP DRESSING.—Where possible, we advise a top dressing to all bulbs through the winter months with some light material such as long straw litter, cut heather, cut furze branches, &c., or cut fern bracken resting on pea sticks (cut fern used by itself lies too wet and is apt to rot the young growths). The advantage of this light covering is that it keeps the surface soil sweet, keeps off heavy autumnal rains, and protects any early top growths.

BARR'S Selected Bulbs & Roots for Early Forcing.

CULTURE FOR EARLY BULB FORCING.

Pot the bulbs 3 to 6, or more according to size, in a 4 or 5-inch pot, barely covering the Bulbs with soil. This should be done during August, September, and October, the pots being placed out of doors on a bed of ashes, and covered over with a few inches of cocoa-nut fibre or ashes. *There let them remain till the bulbs are well rooted*, and have made a little top growth, when a few pots at a time should be removed to a cold frame and be kept partially shaded for a day or two, after which they should be removed to a moderately warm and moist temperature, a plentiful supply of water being then given to the roots. A successional supply of flowers can thus be maintained from November to February.

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BARR'S Famous 'Covent Garden' COLLECTIONS of BULBS.

Sent Carriage-paid with Box and Packing free, on receipt of remittance.

(After November 1 we may find it necessary to make slight changes in the Collections.)

(A) BARR'S 'Covent Garden' 21/- COLLECTION of BULBS

For Early Forcing.

Contains 350 Bulbs of fine quality, as follows :

12 Choice Named Hyacinths	Narcissus (Daffodils)	6 Double Tulip Tournesol
12 Early White Roman Hyacinths	3 " Golden Spur	100 Splendid (Named) Crocuses
3 " Blush " "	3 " Pallidus præcox	25 Scilla sibirica
3 " Blue " "	3 " Telamoniæ plenæ	50 Elwes Giant Snowdrop
6 Double Roman Narcissi	3 " Bicolor Horsfieldii	12 Chionodoxa Luciliæ
6 Paper White 'Early Snowflake' Narcissi	3 " Poeticus ornatus	12 " sardensis
3 Polyanthus Narcissus 'Grand Soleil d'Or'	12 Single Tulip, Early Scarlet, 'Duc Van Thol'	12 Allium neapolitanum
3 " " Grand Monarque	6 " " Chrysolora	1 White Bermuda Lily
25 Sweet-scented Single Jonquils	6 " " Cottage Maid	2 Iris reticulata, the beautiful Violet-scented Iris
	6 " " Koizerskroon	12 Freesia mixed hybrids

BARR'S 'Covent Garden' COLLECTIONS of BULBS

For Early Forcing,

42/-, 63/-, 84/-, and 105/-

Containing an equally liberal assortment of suitable Bulbs of fine quality, as in the 21/- Collection.

(B) BARR'S 'Covent Garden' 21/- COLLECTION of BULBS

For the Greenhouse, Sitting Room, &c.

Containing 300 Bulbs of fine quality.

Arranged for those who prefer a few sorts only of easily cultivated Winter and Spring-flowering Bulbs.

20 Choice Named Hyacinths	6 Narcissus Telamoniæ plenæ	12 Chionodoxa Luciliæ
6 Early White Roman Hyacinths	6 " Poeticus ornatus	12 " sardensis
3 Polyanthus Narcissus	6 Single Tulip Chrysolora	25 Elwes Giant Snowdrop
Grand Monarque	6 " " Dusart	6 Puschkinia libanotica compacta
3 " " 'Scilly Isles' White	6 " " Princeess Marianne	6 Sweet-scented Iris persica
3 " " Grand Soleil d'Or	6 " " Van Vondel	1 White Bermuda Lily
25 Sweet-scented Single Jonquils	6 Double Tulip Tournesol	12 Milla uniflora
6 Narcissus Golden Spur	100 Splendid Crocuses (Named)	
6 " Bicolor Empress	12 Scilla sibirica	

BARR'S 'Covent Garden' 12/6 COLLECTION of BULBS

For the Greenhouse, Sitting Room, &c.

In this Collection we give about half the quantity of Bulbs as in the 21/- Collection.

BARR'S 'Covent Garden' COLLECTIONS of BULBS

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(C) BARR'S 'Covent Garden' 21/- COLLECTION of BULBS***For the Flower Garden,***

Containing 700 Bulbs of fine quality, most suitable for outdoor decoration.

30 Hyacinths, Barr's Rainbow Mixture, Large-flowered	25 Double Tulips, Barr's Rainbow Mixture	25 Wood Hyacinths, mixed
6 Polyanthus Narcissi	50 Crocus, large yellow	10 Milla uniflora
5 Daffodils, Queen of Spain	50 " " striped	25 Summer Snowflakes
5 " Obvallaris	50 " " blue	12 Fritillaria, mixed
5 " Princeps	50 " " white	2 Crown Imperials, in two vars.
5 " Pallidus præcox	50 Snowdrops	2 Lilium candidum
5 " Incomparabilis	12 Scilla sibirica	2 " tigrinum splendens
5 " Leedsii amabilis	20 Chionodoxa Luciliae	2 " Thunbergianum, mxd.
5 " Poeticus ornatus	20 " eardensis	25 Barr's Giant Ranunculus, mixed
2 Jonquil Daffodil 'Rugulosus'	24 Winter Aconites	25 Spanish Irises, mixed
25 Single Tulips, Barr's Rainbow Mixture	12 Blue Grape Hyacinth	12 English Irises, mixed
	12 Allium Moly, yellow	50 Anemone, Large-flowered, Single, mixed
	25 Star of Bethlehem	

BARR'S 'Covent Garden' 12/6 COLLECTION of BULBS***For the Flower Garden,***

Containing half the quantity of the Bulbs enumerated in the above 21/- Collection.

BARR'S 'Covent Garden' COLLECTIONS of BULBS***For the Flower Garden,***

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Containing an equally liberal assortment of suitable Bulbs of fine quality, as in the 21/- Collection.

(D) BARR'S 'Woodland' 21/- COLLECTION of BULBS***For Naturalising in Woodlands, Orchards, Wild Gardens, &c.***

Containing 1,006 suitable Bulbs of fine quality.

200 Daffodils, mixed of all kinds	25 Summer Snowflakes	12 Snakeshead Fritillarias
75 Winter Aconites	25 Dogs' Tooth Violets, mixed	6 Crown Imperiale, mixed
75 Star of Bethlehem, white	25 Anemone, Single, mixed	3 Lilium davuricum, mixed
50 Blue Starch Hyacinths	12 " apennina	3 " pyrenaicum, yellow
150 Crocuses, mixed	6 " fulgens	3 " candidum
100 Wood Hyacinths, mixed	50 Milla uniflora	12 Gladiolus Colvillei
100 Elwes Giant Snowdrops, small bulbs	25 Allium Moly, yellow	12 " " The Bride
	25 Lily of the Valley, crowns	12 " byzantinus

BARR'S 12/6 'Woodland' COLLECTION of BULBS,

Containing half the quantity of the Bulbs enumerated in the above 21/- Collection.

BARR'S 'Woodland' COLLECTIONS of BULBS,

42/-, 63/-, 84/-, and 105/-,

Containing an equally liberal assortment of suitable Bulbs of fine quality, as in the 21/- Collection.

A Few Fine Novelties and Specialities

IN BULBS AND TUBEROUS-ROOTED PLANTS.

	each—s. d.	
ALBUCA Nelsoni , a most beautiful Cape bulb, producing in June handsome spikes of almond-scented flowers, pure white with slight brown stripe (under glass <i>pure white</i>). For pot-culture or south wall, ht. 3 ft. ....per doz. 7/6	o 9	
ALLIUM Schuberti , a very curious and beautiful new species, having star-like flowers of a pretty rose-lilac colour, radiating from the top of the stem, ht. 1½ to 2 ft. It is hardy, if lightly covered during severe weather in winter ....per doz. 10/6	1 0	
ANEMONE fulgens Leichtlini , very large handsome flowers, fiery scarlet with white centre; plant under a south wall or in any other warm situation.....	2 6	
Giant Single 'Glory of the South,' this is a grand Anemone; the flowers are single and very large, with broad rich brilliant scarlet petals and rich blue-black central boss; a flower of great beauty and fine substance ....per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6	...	
New Double 'Victoria Giant,' a double strain of this grand Anemone, colours most brilliant and varied, and flowers very large ....per doz. 3/6	o 4	
" " 'La Dame Blanche,' large white flowers, very faintly tinged rose; of great beauty. 1st Class Certificate .....per 100, 21/-; per doz. 3/-	o 4	
" " 'Snowball,' very beautiful snowy white curled flowers, resembling in form a white incurved Chrysanthemum. 1st Class Certificate		
per 100, 21/-; per doz. 3/-	o 4	
" " 'Vesuvius,' flowers of perfect form and fully double, rich brilliant scarlet, a most striking flower ....per 100, 24/-; per doz. 3/6	o 4	
'St. Brigid,' a very lovely strain of Poppy Anemones, flowers very large, mostly semi-double, and of the most brilliant and varied shades of colour, all having a handsome blue-black central boss. Plants graceful in habit, and remarkably free flowering ...per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6	...	
BRODIAEA californica , the largest-flowered of all the Brodiaeas; the individual blooms resembling in shape a large <i>Lxiodirion</i> , of a delicate heliotrope shade of colour, are borne in graceful umbels, ht. 15 in.....per doz. 6/6	o 8	
Howelli lilacina , bearing in early summer clusters of elegant tubular flowers, pale lavender tipped white, very beautiful, ht. 1 ft. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S. ....per doz. 7/6	o 8	
ixioides splendens , a very handsome and beautiful variety bearing large umbels of light yellow flowers .....per doz. 6/6	o 8	
Purdyi , a remarkably handsome new species, having the pretty dwarf habit of <i>B. grandiflora</i> , flowers soft lilac with a handsome violet bar running down centre of each petal, borne in graceful umbels, very free ....per doz. 7/6	o 8	
CALOCHORTUS—ELDORADO STRAIN , a new race of the lovely <i>Butterfly Tulips</i> (see also page 12), of tall sturdy growth, from 1½ to 2 ft. in ht., and flowers distinct in form and colouring. They vary greatly in shade—from white and cream to lilac, deep velvety purple and rosy purple, red, pink, and salmon. All have a showy centre of brown and yellow prettily speckled, while others have a beautiful golden blotch on each petal. As cut flowers they are invaluable, the buds opening well in water, and for beauty they cannot be excelled; they continue in bloom often for two months, and delight in a warm sunny situation and light sandy soil. (For full Cultural Notes see page 12.) The Royal Horticultural Society granted this strain an Award of Merit, 1896. (For Illustration of <i>Butterfly Tulips</i> see page 13.)		
Beautiful varieties mixed.....per 100, 18/-; per doz. 2/6	...	
White (Pictus) , flowers large white with red blotch on a golden ground, centre reddish brown, very lovely .....per doz. 3/6	o 4	
Purple , flowers a rich deep velvety purple .....per doz. 7/6	o 8	
Pink to Blood-red , colours remarkably varied and rich .....per doz. 7/6	o 8	
CHIONODOXA Luciliæ rosea (new) , flowers of beautiful soft shades of rose and rose-lilac with white centre .....home-grown bulbs	1 6	
Luciliæ alba (new) , white flowers of delicate beauty.....	1 6	
DODECATHÉON, American Cowslips or Shooting Stars , beautiful new varieties, great improvements on the present known species and varieties, and all very strong growers. Hardy and of easy culture, but delighting in shade and moisture.		
James Cooke , delicate rose-lilac with scarlet-maroon eye, bordered yellow and surrounded by a white halo.....	1 3	
Longfellow , delicate blush, with golden eye, encircled with velvety maroon, and a halo of white margined carmine	2 0	
Rosy Gem , delicate pale rose, with yellow eye encircled with brown, and a halo of white bordered carmine	2 0	
Snowflake , pure white, with yellow eye encircled with velvety maroon	2 0	
Victor Hugo , white tinged blush, with conspicuous velvety maroon eye, bordered golden-yellow	3 0	
EREMURUS himalaicus , a most lovely species from the Himalayas, and one of the hardiest. It attains a height of 5 to 8 feet, bearing dense heads nearly 2 feet long, of large snowy white flowers, with golden anthers, from May to June. It requires a well-drained soil with a north or north-west aspect, protected from cutting winds in spring.....roots of flowering size	7 6	

Novelties and Specialities—continued.

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ERYTHRONIUM Johnsoni , one of the most beautiful of the American Dog's Tooth Violets. colour a beautiful bright rose with yellow centre, and golden anthers. Award of Merit R.H.S., 1897. <i>Buyers will be charmed with this lovely plant</i> ...per 100, 50/-; per doz. 7/6	o	9
revolutum, 'Pink Beauty' (new) . We have much pleasure in introducing this lovely variety. In form the flowers resemble <i>E. Johnsoni</i> , but the colour is a soft delicate pink. We strongly recommend all lovers of hardy flowers to try it...per 100, 63/-; per doz., 8/6	o	10
FRITILLARIA nobilis (new) , the most handsome of <i>Fritillarias</i> , flowers very large, of a rich deep blood-red colour, beautifully tessellated inside, ht. 6 inches, <i>flowered at our Nurseries for the first time in England</i>	2	0
pluriflora , true, a remarkably distinct and beautiful species introduced in 1896, of very graceful habit, flowers pale rosy purple, <i>very early</i> . A native of the Sacramento Valley; it delights in shade and protection from cutting winds	per doz.	7/6
Whittallii (new) , flowers beautifully tessellated inside and out with reddish brown on a yellowish ground. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S., May 1896	per doz.	4/6
GALANTHUS (Snowdrop) caucasicus grandis , a handsome Snowdrop, very tall, with large flowers, petals very long, tube white, blotched green at mouth	1	3
oilioicus , a fine new species resembling <i>G. Fosteri</i> , but flowering earlier. It is a tall grower with long handsome flowers	per doz.	3/6
Ikariæ , a most distinct and beautiful Snowdrop, with broad glossy light green reflexing foliage, flowers snowy white, inner segments heavily tipped bright green, per 100, 15/-; per doz. 2/3	o	3
IRIS persica Vogeliana , a beautiful new Iris, flowers larger than <i>I. persica</i> , S. silvery grey with dark veins, F. deep silvery grey with large claret-coloured blotch	1	0
LACHENALIAS, beautiful new varieties , raised by the Rev. Theodore Marsh, all decided improvements and valuable additions to this lovely family of plants.		
Cawston Gem , yellow, tipped pink, robust grower	per doz.	12/-
Garnet , very early, yellow with deep ruby edge	per doz.	12/-
Little Beauty , a very beautiful variety	per doz.	12/-
Rector of Cawston , rich deep yellow, tipped red, dwarf	per doz.	12/-
Topaz , rich deep yellow, with narrow purple margin	per doz.	12/-
LILIUM auratum, 'Beauty of Japan' , a splendid new variety of <i>Lilium auratum platyphyllum</i> type, its grand large flowers being very broadly banded, with glowing dark crimson down centre of petals. It is a stately Lily of great beauty, and a fine acquisition...	15	0
Bolanderi , a beautiful new Lily from Oregon, with dense whorls of foliage and elegant bell-shaped flowers, deep crimson spotted maroon, ht. 1½ ft. 1st Class Certificate.....	3	6
Harrisii (The Bermuda Easter Lily) , a few special monster bulbs, doz. 21/-; 2/- & 2/6	2	6
Henryi , a most handsome and elegant Lily discovered lately by Dr. Henry in North China; the flowers resemble in form <i>L. speciosum</i> , but are orange-yellow in colour and freely produced on elegant branching heads, a hardy and vigorous grower, ht. 5 to 6 ft.....	5	6
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pardalinum Johnsoni , one of the best of the <i>Pardaliums</i> , from British Columbia, of strong sturdy growth with dark green foliage and very showy flowers, glowing crimson shading to orange, ht. 5 ft.	2/6 &	3 6
Parryi , a very beautiful Californian species, with large bright yellow flowers lightly spotted and of delicate perfume, ht. 3 ft. Awarded 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.....	3	6
Roetzlii , true, a rare Lily from the Pacific coast, bearing an elegant raceme of brilliant orange-red flowers spotted purple and with reflexed petals, ht. 3 ft.....	3	6
rubellum , one of the most beautiful of recently discovered Japanese Lilies. The growth is slender like that of <i>Krameri</i> , the flowers are of distinct elegant form and a delicate pale rose, with golden anthers, hardy, 1½ ft. <i>This lovely Lily promises to be of easy culture</i> , 2/- & 3/0	3	0
LILY OF THE VALLEY, Fortin's Giant-flowered Strain (see Illustration, page 39), a very beautiful strain with remarkably large handsome bells on long sturdy stalks; a giant compared with the ordinary variety; we specially recommend it for outdoor culture; plant 9 inches apart, and when established its grand flower-spikes will surprise the grower. Strong crowns may be very slowly forced in March.....	flowering crowns, per 100, 15/-	...
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RANUNCULUS asiaticus superbus , a very pretty strain of large-flowered <i>Ranunculi</i> with double, semi-double, and single flowers of most brilliant varied colours; the petals of many are prettily flanged and cut, rendering them distinct from all other <i>Ranunculi</i> , 1000, 25/-; 100, 3/-
RICHARDIA Pentlandii , the beautiful large Golden Calla or Arum Lily, a noble plant with handsome plain deep green foliage and large rich golden-yellow flowers		
Plants in pots, according to size, each 10/6, 15/-, 21/-, 30/- & 42/0		
STERNBERGIA Fischeriana , a handsome Spring-flowering species of 'Lily of the Field'.....	per doz.	5/6
TROPEOLUM Leichtlini (new) , resembling in habit <i>T. polyphyllum</i> , but flowers much deeper and brighter in colouring, being of a rich brilliant orange-gold, very hardy, free grower and profuse bloomer, charming used as a climber or trailer, for sunny situations	3	6
TULIPA Kaufmanniana , a rare and beautiful Tulip, bearing early in the season large flowers of elegant form and remarkable beauty, petals large, broad and reflexing, creamy white with carmine red on reverse, centre yellow	2	6

CHEAP OFFER

OF

Hardy Bulbs and Plants

FOR EXTENSIVE PLANTING

IN SHRUBBERIES, FLOWER BORDERS, ON ROCKWORK, &c., AND TO NATURALISE
IN WILD GARDENS, WOODLANDS, ALONG CARRIAGE DRIVES, ON BANKS,
IN GRASS, &c.; ALSO TO PLANT FOR CUT FLOWERS.

For full descriptions see body of Catalogue.



MUSCARI COMICUM 'HEAVENLY BLUE,' ESTABLISHED ON A HEDGE BANK
AT OUR LONG DITTON NURSERIES.

Year by year we see the taste increasing for the so-called 'Wild Garden,' or the grouping of hardy subjects in a free and unconventional manner, leaving them to colonise and form themselves into pretty natural groups, such as Nature exhibits to us in her woods and copses, and wherever she has been left to reign undisturbed. This phase of gardening is one which must have a great attraction for the lover of hardy flowers; by it, bare and ugly places may be made beautiful, and a charm added to the landscape. Few sights are more beautiful in Spring than such hardy flowers as Daffodils, Snowdrops, Chionodoxas, Muscaris, Anemones, &c., established in grass. The experiment has been successfully made at Kew Gardens, to the great delight of visitors, and this Spring, large stretches and slopes of grass-land thus planted, presented quite a 'Riviera' picture. At the earliest

dawn of Spring the following flowers will lighten up the landscape with their fresh bright colours: *Winter Aconites, Snowdrops, Early Scillas, Chionodoxas, Early Daffodils, &c.*, followed by *later-flowering Daffodils, Crocuses, Muscaris, Anemones, Star of Bethlehem, Cowslips, Late Scillas, Cottage Tulips, &c.* All the foregoing may be grown in grass-land where the grass is not cut till the meadows are mown. On lawns, which require cutting earlier, such charming little early-flowering subjects as *Snowdrops, Chionodoxas, Early Dwarf Daffodils, and Scillas* may be planted. In places where the grass is not required to be cut, a still wider scope for gardening presents itself, as several of our Summer- and Autumn-flowering Lilies may be introduced, as also other tall and stately flowers.

N.B.—We have marked thus † those flowers which will thrive in shady places, under trees, on shady banks, &c., or may be planted in the open border. The variously coloured *Wood Hyacinths* (Blue Bells) will establish themselves freely under Pine and Fir trees and in shady nooks, where scarcely any other flower will thrive, and seen thus they present a lovely sight. § Indicates those bulbs, &c., which are essentially wood plants, and should only be grown in shady situations.

	per 1000	per 100	per doz.		per 1000	per 100	per doz.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
† Anemone, single, mixed	17	6..	2 0..0	4	§ Anemone palmata, yellow.....	18	0..2 6
† „ double mixed	35	0..	4 0..0	8	§ „ ranunculoides, yellow.....	7	6..1 3
† „ single 'Bride,' snow-white	30	0..	3 6..0	6	† Allium Moly, yellow	30	0.. 3 6..0 6
† „ fulgens, dazzling scarlet...	55	0..	6 6..1	0	† „ neapolitanum, flowers pure		
† „ apennina, pale blue.....	55	0..	6 6..1	0	white.....	30	0.. 3 6..0 6
† „ alba.....		7	6..1	3	Brodiaea grandiflora, blue, ½ ft..	50	0.. 5 6..0 10
† „ japonica, white, rose, or					† Bulbocodium vernum	10	6..1 6
rose-crimson, each var. ...	21	0..	4 0		† Camassia esculenta, purple.....	40	0.. 4 6..0 8
§ „ nemorosa, double white ...	10	6..	1 6		† Chionodoxa Luciliae	30	0.. 3 6..0 6
					† „ sardensis, deep true blue...	30	0.. 3 6..0 6

Cheap Offer of Hardy Bulbs and Plants—continued.

	per 1000 s. d.	per 100 s. d.	per doz. s. d.		per 1000 s. d.	per 100 s. d.	per doz. s. d.
†Colchicume, see Meadow Saffron.				†Lilium davuricum, mixed reds...	...17	6...2	6
†Crocus, in mixture	10	6... 1	3... ..	† „ longiflorum, large white...	...30	0...4	6
† „ golden-yellow	14	6... 1	9... ..	† „ martagon, purple.....	...30	0...4	6
† „ large purple.....	16	6... 1	9... ..	† „ pyrenaicum, yellow.....	...30	0...4	6
† „ large striped	16	6... 1	9... ..	† „ tigrinum splendens, scar-			
† „ large white	16	6... 1	9... ..	let, tiger-spotted.....	...17	6...2	6
†Crocus speciosus, bright blue,				† „ speciosum rubrum, crim-			
Autumn-flowering	42	0... 5	6...2 10	son and white.....	...35	0...5	6
†Crocus, other beautiful species for				§Lily of the Valley,			
naturalising on banks and rock-				planting crowns 42	0... 5	0... ..	
work. See page 18.				†Meadow - Saffron, Autumn-			
†Crown Imperiale, in mixture ...	25	0...3	6	flowering, mixed ...	7	6...1	3
§Cyclamen europæum, crimson...	21	0...3	6	„ „ Spring-flowering ...	10	6...1	6
§ „ ibericum, mixed	30	0...4	6	†Milla uniflora mixed, white and			
§ „ neapolitanum, with varie-				porcelain-blue, ½ ft.	21	0... 2	6... ..
gated foliage	25	0...3	6	Montbretia crocosmæflora,			
§ „ repandum	25	0...3	6	orange-red	35	0... 4	6...0 8
†Daffodils, choice mixed, all sorts,				„ Potteii, scarlet	25	0... 3	0...0 6
to naturalise	30	0... 3	6... ..	Ornithogalum (Star of Beth-			
† „ fine mixed, to naturalise...	21	0... 2	6... ..	lehem)			
† „ Peerlees, mixed do.	30	0... 3	6... ..	† „ umbellatum splendens,			
† „ Poet's Narcissi, mixed, to				white.....	40	0... 4	6...0 8
naturalise	42	0... 5	0... ..	† „ nutans, white and green,			
† „ Trumpet varieties, mixed,				a valuable cut flower.....	50	0... 5	6...0 10
to naturalise	42	0... 5	0... ..	§Polygonatum (Solomon's Seal),			
§Dog's-Tooth Violets, purple, rose,				tall ...	10	6...1	6
or white,				§ „ „ „ dwarf ...	10	6...1	6
each var. 50	0... 5	6...0	10	Schizostylis coccinea, scarlet ...	65	0... 7	6...1 3
§ „ „ „ large-flowered,				†Scilla sibirica, bright blue	21	0... 2	6...0 4
mixed.....	65	0... 7	6...1 3	† „ bifolia, deep blue, dwarf...30	0... 3	6...0 6	
§ „ „ yellow(E.americanum)...	10	6...1	6	†Snowdrops, double or single ...	21	0... 2	6...0 5
§ „ „ American Large-				† „ Elwes Giant, Single, bulbs			
flowered vars., mixed ...	17	6...2	6	to naturalise	15	0... 1	9...0 3
†Feathered Hyacinth (Muscari) 30	0... 3	6...0	6	§Snowflakes, Spring-flowering 40	0... 4	6...0 8	
§Fritillaria meleagris, mixed 50	0... 5	6...0	10	† „ Summer-flowering	30	0... 3	6...0 6
†Funkia (the Plantain-Lily of				Solomon's Seal, see Polygonatum.			
Japan), mixed varieties	21	0...3	6	†Spiræa japonica, white.....	30	0...4	6
†Galtonia candicans, snow-white,				† „ palmata, crimson.....	40	0...5	6
handsome, 3 to 6 ft.	55	0... 6	6...1 0	† „ „ elegans, pink	30	0...4	6
†Gladiolus byzantinus, fine ...	30	0... 3	6...0 6	†Starch Hyacinth (Muscari)			
† „ Colvillei, crimson-purple 30	0... 3	6...0	6	large-flowered blue-			
† „ „ The Bride, snow-white 30	0... 3	6...0	6	black	8	6...1	3
„ Dwarf Early, mixed	25	0... 3	0...0 6	† „ „ bright blue (M.			
„ Brenchleyensis, scarlet ...	45	0... 5	0...0 10	armeniæ)	12	6...1	9
†Grape Hyacinths (Muscari),				Sternbergia lutea (Lily of the			
blue, ½ ft...15	0... 1	9...0	3	Field), yellow	95	0...10	6...1 6
† „ „ white	25	0... 3	0...0 6	Tulips, Single, beautiful mixture..42	0... 4	6...0 8	
Helleborus, mixed Hybrids				Double „ „ ..50	0... 5	6...0 9	
(Lenten Roses), strong plants				† „ May-flowering, Cottagers'			
or clumps	42	0...5	6	mixed	65	0... 7	6...1 3
†Hemerocallis (DayLilies),mixed ...	21	0...3	6	† „ „ 'English Amateur,'			
Hyacinths, beautiful mixture ...	13	6...2	0	mixed	95	0...10	6...1 6
„ miniature, a beautiful				† „ „ 'Lord Denman,' pur-			
mixture.....	9	6...1	3	ple and white,			
†Hyacinthus amethystinus, beau-				variegated	10	6...1	6
tiful sky-blue flowers, ½ ft. 55	0... 6	6...1	0	„ „ Darwin, mixed	95	0...10	6...1 6
„ candicans, see Galtonia.				†Wood Hyacinths(Scilla),mixed 30	0... 3	6...0 6	
†Iris, Bulbous English, mixed...50	0... 5	6...0	10	† „ „ blue	25	0... 3	0...0 6
„ „ Spanieh, mixed...21	0... 2	6... ..		† „ „ white	42	0... 4	6...0 8
† „ Tall Flag, mixed	10	6...1	9	† „ „ red.....	42	0... 4	6...0 8
† „ germanica, blue.....	25	0...3	6	†Winter Aconites, yellow	15	0... 1	9... ..
† „ florentina, white	35	0...5	6	†Zephyranthes candida (Flower			
† „ Dwarf Flag, in mixture ...	10	6...1	9	of the West Wind), white ...65	0... 7	6...1	3
Jonquil, single, sweet-scented ...21	0... 2	6...0	3				
†Lilium auratum	36	0...5	6				
† „ candidum, white	15	0...2	6				

BARR'S

ALPHABETICAL DESCRIPTIVE LIST

OF

Bulbs, Tubers, and Plants,

FOR ALL SEASONS AND CLIMATES.

IN the following pages we give descriptions, as far as space permits, of the various Bulbs, &c., with general notes as to their cultural requirements. The illustrations are mostly reproductions, on a greatly reduced scale, of sketches and photographs taken at our **Long Ditton Bulb Nurseries**. Great care is taken in the selecting of our Bulbs, these being drawn from the **best bulb farms only**. High-class Daffodils and Tulips, &c., also many little rare and beautiful bulbous plants, *we are ourselves large growers of*, and are in a position therefore to select for our customers an extra fine quality.

Those marked thus * ripen late and are sent out from the middle of October to March. All other bulbs, &c., are ready for despatch in September. Orders which embrace earlier and later ripening bulbs, &c., will be executed therefore in two parts.

- each—s. d.
- * **ABOBRA VIRIDIFLORA**, an elegant half-hardy perennial *scarlet-fruited* climber; plant outdoors in Spring and lift the tubers in Autumn, storing them in dry sand in a cool place away from frostper doz. 5/6 10 6
- * **ACHIMENES**, these make charming pot-plants for the greenhouse, and are very decorative with their brilliantly coloured elegant flowers; pot in rich light soil in Spring and start in bottom heat. 12 varieties, 1 root each, 3/6; 3 roots each, 12 varieties, 8/6.
- ACONITE—WINTER.** See Winter Aconite.
- AGAPANTHUS (African Lily)**, valuable pot-plants for the greenhouse, and when grown in tubs on terrace walks and lawns few plants give a more noble effect; very effective planted out by streams, lakes, and ponds. During severe winters they should be covered, or in very cold climates be taken indoors until Spring, water being given only sparingly. This plant is a gross feeder, and likes a rich soil and plenty of moisture while in growth.
- umbellatus**, handsome umbels of rich blue flowersper doz. 7/6 0 9
- „ **maximus**, same colour as *umbellatus*, but with larger flowers 1 3
- „ **albus**, handsome umbels of white flowers 1 6
- „ **Mooreanus**, small blue flowers in graceful umbelsper doz. 7/6 0 9
- „ **flore-pleno**, a very handsome variety, with fine double blue flowers 2 0
- * **ALBUCA canaliculata**, a decorative greenhouse Cape bulb, which may also be planted out under a south wall; it produces handsome trusses of very fragrant golden flowers, 1½ ft. ... 2 6
- ALLIUM**, a decorative and showy family of hardy Spring- and Summer-flowering bulbs, valuable alike for borders or rockwork and for naturalising in woods, &c. *A. neapolitanum* is easily forced, and the cut blooms are extensively used for vases and table bouquets.
- acuminatum**, with beautiful soft rose-lilac-coloured flowers in umbels, 1 ft. ...per doz. 1/6 0 2
- azureum**, handsome intense blue flowers, quite hardy, 2 ft. „ 2/6 0 3
- cyaneum**, pretty deep blue flowers in clusters, ½ ft.established tufts 1 6
- karataviense**, a remarkably handsome plant, with very large broad glaucous-green foliage spreading close to the ground, ½ ft.per doz. 5/6 0 6
- Moly**, bright yellow flowers in umbels, very showy, 1 ft.per 100, 3/6; „ 6d. ...
- neapolitanum**, an elegant bouquet flower largely grown for the market; it produces numerous heads of graceful white flowers, ht. 15 inchesper 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d. ...
- Ostrowskianum** (*syn. oreophyllum*), a charming species from Asia Minor, with large heads of beautiful rose-coloured flowers, 2 ft.per 100, 15/-; per doz. 2/3 ...
- pedemontanum** (*syn. narcissiflorum*), rose-purple, drooping bell-shaped flowers in clusters, beautiful and very distinct, ¾ ft. 1 6
- pulchellum**, graceful heads of charming bright rosy purple flowers, in July, ¾ ft., per doz. 4/6 0 5
- „ **flavum**, small canary-yellow flowers in graceful drooping umbels, very charming, July-flowering, ¾ ft.per doz. 3/6 0 4
- Rosenbachianum**, large purple-rose flowers, 2½ ft. „ 5/6 0 6
- triquetrum**, white, striped green, graceful drooping umbels, pretty, 1 ft.per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3 ...
- * **ALSTRÖMERIA**. These beautiful 'Peruvian Lilies' are very easy to cultivate, and produce in Summer abundance of charming cut flowers, which last long in water. Their showy and attractive flowers render them most valuable border plants. Plant so that the top is four inches below the surface, selecting by preference a situation close to a wall or hedge, and protecting the first Winter, with leaves or litter. *A. pelegrina* and *A. pulchra* are more tender, and delight in hot dry sunny situations, such as under a south wall; they also make fine plants for a cool greenhouse.
- aurantiaca**, flowers rich orange, spotted carmine, very showy and valuable for cutting; this plant should be grouped in every herbaceous border as it is quite hardy, 3 ft.per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 0 2

***ALSTROMERIA**—*continued.*

chilensis hybrida, mixed , beautiful shades of rose, crimson, orange, yellow, buff, and bluish, with yellow and crimson markings, valuable as cut flowers, per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9	each—s. d.	
lutea , bright yellow flowers with carmine spotting, very pretty, 3 ft. „ 10/6; „ 1/6	o	2
pelegrina alba , white, very chaste and beautiful flowers, } grow under a south wall or in frames { „ 5/6	o	6
„ rosea , rose-coloured flowers, beautifully spotted { „ 4/6	o	5
psittacina (The Parrot Flower) , bright crimson flowers splashed green and mahogany, 3 ft. „ per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9	o	3
pulchra (tricolor) , white and yellow flowers, striped and blotched crimson, protect in severe weather „ per doz. 3/6	o	4

AMARYLLIS (Hippeastrum), Large-flowered choice Greenhouse Varieties.

These are magnificent in the conservatory, and valuable to cut for table bouquets and vases; with management, they may be had in bloom for many months. The unnamed hybrids quoted we specially recommend, as they are from the best collection in Europe, and are sure to please, both as regards variety, beauty of colour, and size of flowers. *The bulbs we offer are of large flowering size, and will bloom the first season.*

CULTURE.—Immediately after potting, place in a moist warm temperature, and plunge the pot to the rim in a gentle, steady, moist bottom heat; thus treated, a vigorous leaf-growth is produced, and a strong stem with a fine umbel of large flowers secured. In the absence of bottom heat they do well in an ordinary greenhouse or sunny sitting-room window.

Amaryllis, Barr's Choice Unnamed Hybrids, Flowering Bulbs, purchasers are sure to be satisfied with the flowers, and have a good chance of getting new varieties of exceptional beauty „ per doz. 25/-; each, 2/6

Barr's Choice Named Large-flowered Greenhouse Amaryllis.

These we can strongly recommend for their large flowers, of excellent form, and rich colours.


12 magnificent exhibition vars. £7 7 0	12 extra fine named varieties £5 5 0
6 „ „ „ 4 0 0	12 good showy named „ 30/- & 2 2 0

AMARYLLIS. Various Species.

Belladonna (The Belladonna Lily), bearing umbels of beautiful large white flowers flushed and tipped soft rose. If planted in light soil (*the top 6 inches below the surface*) against a south wall it will establish itself and bloom freely every year „ per doz. 6/6 o | 8 |

***formosissima (Jacobeia Lily)**, beautiful large quaintly shaped dark crimson flowers „ per 100, 30/-; per doz. 4/6 o | 5 |

***formosissima glauca**, differs only from above in the colour being a striking crimson-scarlet „ per 100, 30/-; per doz. 4/6 o | 5 |

 The **Jacobeia Lilies** may be grown in pots and forced, or be planted in the open in April for Summer-flowering.

AMORPHOPHALLUS, curious and ornamental bulbous plants from the tropics, interesting as pot-plants and valuable for sub-tropical bedding. The tubers should be kept dry and away from frost during Winter, and may be planted outdoors March to April, four inches deep, or for indoors potted earlier.

campanulatus, a very curious species, flowers very large, dark red and black, and produced close to the ground „ I 6

Rivieri (Umbrella Arum), a very handsome plant, with large palm-like leaves 2 to 3 ft. in diameter, on a white spotted stem; it makes a charming pot-plant for a room

Strong Tubers, per doz. 10/6 I o

ANEMONE, or WINDFLOWER. (See also Novelty List, page 4.)

For brilliancy of colour few flowers can compare with the **Anemone**, which in Spring produces its masses of bloom in endless variety of shades, *scarlets, crimsons, roses, blushes, lilacs, blues, purples, and white*, all of which for cutting are valuable, lasting long in water. For beds, edgings, and masses, in the borders it is matchless, and may be had in bloom, weather permitting, from November to July, according to situation, locality, and time of planting.

CULTURE.—Any good soil, moderately well drained, suits the Anemone. Plant in succession *A. coronaria* varieties from October to May, the roots four to six inches apart, at a depth of two to three inches, choosing a dry day, and when the ground is in good working condition. *The plantings for Summer and Autumn-flowering should be in a situation where the ground is moist, and in shade from the sun's rays after 10 or 11 a.m., and well sheltered from cutting ground winds.* In districts which suffer badly from Spring frosts, plant in December or January.

A PLANTING OF ANEMONES SHOULD ALWAYS be made both Autumn and Spring. If grown as pot-plants, put three tubers in a four-inch pot, and plunge out of doors for a few weeks, when remove to a shallow cold frame or on top shelf of greenhouse, close to glass, to prevent drawing.

ANEMONES, FOR BEDS AND MASSES, Barr's Double Poppy. (A. coronaria varieties.) The flowers of the **Double Poppy Anemone** resemble a semi-double Hollyhock, and are extremely handsome. When planted from October to December, they flower in succession during the early Spring months, while those planted from January to April flower in succession from April to July.

250 in 25 splendid new vars. ...	s. d.	17 6	50 in 25 splendid new vars. 4/-	
100 „ 25 „ „ „ „ „	„	7 6		per 100 per doz.
				s. d. s. d.

Barr's Splendid Seedling Varieties, mixed, in great variety, of beautiful colours „ per 1000, 35/- 4 | o | o | 8 |

Double Anemone, Bluebeard, rich dark purplish-blue, large-flowered „ 8 6...1 3 | | | |

„ „ **Blush Beauty**, white, flaked, and shaded delicate rose-pink, beautiful „ 7 6...1 3 | | | |

ANEMONES—continued.

	per 100 per doz.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Double Anemone, Chapeau de Cardinal , large cerise-scarlet flowers.....	6	6...	1	0	
" " Fire King , large, bright showy scarlet	8	6...	1	3	
" " Rose de Nice , delicate rose, beautiful and distinct.....	6	6...	1	0	
Double Chrysanthemum-flowered, splendid mixed , a beautiful and distinct strain of the Double Poppy Anemone, remarkable for large Chrysanthemum-shaped handsome flowers .....	...	...	3	0	

ANEMONES, BARR'S SINGLE POPPY (Coronaria varieties) for Beds and Masses. These handsome Single Anemones have large beautiful saucer-shaped Poppy-like blossoms, and during mild seasons, or in sheltered situations, flower continuously throughout the Winter and Spring. Those planted in early Spring are very gay in May or June.

New large-flowered Victoria Giant (also called **Empress or Caen Anemones**), a magnificent race of Single Poppy Anemones with immense saucer-shaped flowers and colours of the greatest brilliancy and variety, p. 100, 4/6; p. doz. 8d.

 " " " **White 'The Bride'**, flowers snow-white, large and very beautiful, per 1000, 30/-; per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d.

 " " " **King of Scarlets**, intense brilliant scarlet, with silvery-white centre, a grand showy variety, per 1000, 21/-; per 100, 2/6; per doz. 4d.

 " " " **Beautiful Rich Blue**, per 1000, 30/-; per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d.

Fine Mixed, all colours, per 1000, 17/6; per 100, 2/-; per doz. 4d.

For Anemones, 'St. Brigid's' and 'Glory of the South,' see Novelty List, page 4.

ANEMONE STELLATA, The Starry Windflower of the Riviera, or Peacock

Anemone. These Starry-flowered Single Anemones are remarkable for variety of brilliant colours, elegant flowers, and graceful foliage. A light well-drained soil in a warm sheltered situation suits them best; on rockwork they look charming; they also make good pot-plants, six roots in a pot. Plant September, October, and November.

Choice mixture of beautiful shades of rose, brick-red, scarlet, ruby, &c., valuable for cutting

Jewel, ruby-violet, with silvery-white centre, a most beautiful shade

Scarlet Gem, brilliant crimson-scarlet flowers with silvery centre, very showy

White Gem, very beautiful, flowers clear white with blue centre

ANEMONE FULGENS, The Beautiful Starry Windflower of the Pyrenees, &c.

This, with its rich dazzling scarlet flowers, and light elegant growth, is the most brilliant and graceful of all Winter- and Spring-flowering Anemones. It is invaluable for table bouquets or vases, as it lasts a long time in water. If the roots are planted early in Autumn, flowers may be gathered, weather permitting, from Christmas; its hardiness is beyond all question, so that roots may be safely planted any month from August to May. This brilliant flower should be used largely in wild gardens, orchards, woodlands, on half-shady banks, &c. The plantings made April and May should be in a situation where in Summer the ground is moist, and the sun's rays do not fall on them after 10 or 11 a.m. If grown as pot-plants plunge out of doors for a time.

Anemone fulgens, flowers beautiful rich dazzling scarlet

 " " " " " **extra strong roots**

 " " " **annulata**, rich clear brilliant scarlet, with glittering silvery-white ring at base, and rich black central boss, a charming flower

 " " " **grandiflora**, a very handsome large-flowered variety of the above

 " " " **græca**, a beautiful species from Greece, flowers deep rich glowing crimson-scarlet, with broad petals and black central boss

 " " " **multipetala**, an elegant variety, with a multitude of graceful rich dazzling scarlet petals, and a black central boss

 " " " **Southern Star**, flowers large rich dazzling scarlet, with white base and black central boss, handsome and beautiful

ANEMONES. Various Beautiful Species. *Anemone apennina*, the blue Mountain Windflower, forms a dense cushion of rich blue, and is one of the loveliest of dwarf Spring flowers. Where Daffodils are naturalised this and *A. blanda* should be freely planted. *A. blanda* resembles *A. apennina* in flower, but blooms a month earlier. The varieties of *Anemone nemorosa* (The Wood Anemone) literally carpet the ground with their charming flowers; being shade-loving plants they should be planted under trees or in shady nooks on rockwork. *A. nemorosa Robinsoniana* is remarkably beautiful. All are exceedingly charming established on rockwork, or as pot-plants.

	each—s.	d.		each—s.	d.
Apennina , beautiful single sky-blue flowers, as large as a half-crown, very hardy and free-flowering, a gem for the rock-garden and hardy border, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. p. 1000, 55/-; per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/-	...		Blanda cypriana , flowers from white to pale blue and lilac...per doz.	7/6	0 9
" alba , white, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3	0 2		" scythinica , white, shaded blue	1	6
Blanda (The Grecian, Blue Windflower) , brilliant deep blue, $\frac{1}{4}$ ft. per 100, 25/-; per doz. 3/6	0 4		" var. taurica , flowers ranging from light to very deep blue per doz.	7/6	0 8
			Nemorosa bracteata fl. pl. ('Jack in the Green' Anemone), white florets, resting on green bracts, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.....per doz.	6/6	0 8
			" alba fl. pl. , double, pure white, beautiful, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6	0 2	

ANEMONES—continued.		each—s. d.	each—s. d.
Nemorosa rosea fl. pl., double pink,	1½ ft.	per doz. 6/6 o 8	2/6 o 3
„ Robinsoniana, sky-blue,	very beautiful, ½ ft.	per doz. 5/6 o 6	3/6 o 4
			Anemone), yellow, ½ ft., per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3 o 2

For other beautiful Anemones, see our *Hardy Plant Catalogue*, free on application.

*ANOMATHECA

cruenta, a charming bulbous plant, with small bright scarlet, crimson-blotched flowers in July and August; very pretty as an edging out of doors, or on rockwork, and in pots, ¾ ft., *plant in early Spring* per 100, 5/6; per doz. 10d. ... 1

„ **grandiflora**, large handsome flowers, bright scarlet, blotched crimson, ¾ ft. 2 6

***APIOS tuberosa**, a rapid-growing elegant hardy deciduous climber, for arbours, trellises, &c., flowers deliciously scented per doz. 2/6 o 3

ARUM, curious and interesting border plants, more or less handsome. They should be given choice spots on the border or rockwork. As pot-plants they are very ornamental. **Dracunculus** and **Italicum** are quite hardy; the other species require Winter protection, such as ashes, leaves, litter, or cocoa fibre, and should be grown by preference in light loamy soil on a sunny border.

cornutum (*syn. Sauromatum guttatum*), red flowers, spotted black, stems curiously marbled, handsome foliage, 1½ ft. per doz. 2 6 o 3

crinitum, flowers reddish brown, and of immense size, stem marbled. 7/6 o 8

dicorisidis spectabile, bearing magnificent blackish-purple flowers, taller and flowering a few weeks later than *A. palestinum* (ht. 3 to 3½ ft. with good culture) per doz. 8/6 o 9

dracunculus, large purple-red and black-blue flowers, marbled stem, very handsome „ 3/6 o 4

Eggeri, crimson-purple margined green, with large velvety dark maroon spadix, Spring-flowering per doz. 15/- 1 6

italicum, flowers greenish white, followed by spikes of scarlet berries, leaves spotted „ 1/6 o 2

palestinum (*syn. sanctum*), **The Sacred Black Calla from Lebanon**, flowers velvety black inside, olive-coloured outside, sweet-scented, handsome ornamental foliage, Spring-flowering per doz. 5/6 o 6

BABIANA, the flowers range in colour from blue to the richest crimson-magenta, and are set off by a dark green hairy foliage. They have a fine dwarf compact habit, and are of great value for pots, rockeries, or the front of borders. Culture same as for the *Ixia*, see page 32.

Extra choice mixture, of many beautiful colours per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 ...

***BEGONIA**, Barr's Large-flowered Single English Bedding varieties in separate colours, scarlet, crimson, rose, salmon, pink, white, orange, and yellow

each colour, per 100, 35/-; per doz. 5/- ...

Choice Mixed Large-flowered Single varieties for bedding „ 24/-; „ 3/6 ...

Barr's Handsome Exhibition English Single Begonias for pot-culture, having a stiff erect habit and large round-petalled flowers of fine form and substance, cannot be surpassed. In separate selected colours per doz. 15/-, 21/-, & 30/- ...

Barr's Handsome Exhibition English Double Begonias for pot-culture, flowers of grand form, equalling Camellias in symmetry, and of brilliant colours,

Best named sorts...per doz. 21/-, 30/-, & 35/- ...

Barr's Bedding Double Begonias, in six separate colours per doz. 10/6 ...

Barr's Bedding Double Begonias, mixed, in good variety of colour... „ 7/6 ...

BELLADONNA AND GUERNSEY LILIES, see *Amaryllis*, page 9; and

Nerine, page 43.

***BESSERA elegans**, a beautiful Mexican bulbous plant with graceful umbels of drooping bell-shaped, bright scarlet flowers; grow in pots for indoors, or plant on rockwork in spring, 1 ft. per doz. 5/6 o 6

BLOOMERIA aurea, beautiful umbels of golden-yellow flowers, striped brown, hardy, 1 ft. per doz. 3/6 o 4

BOBARTIA aurantiaca, a beautiful summer-flowering bulb. See *Homeria*.

BOMAREA, magnificent greenhouse plants; they grow best in a compost of equal parts rough sand, turfy loam, and peat. While in growth, manure water should occasionally be given.

salsilla (*syn. oculata*), a beautiful climbing species, purple spotted, red flowers in clusters, for greenhouse or warm positions outdoors per doz. 2/6 o 3

***BOUSINGAULTIA baselloides**, an elegant climber, valuable for hanging baskets, window boxes, rustic tubs, &c., leaves pale green and fleshy, flowers white and hawthorn scented, hardly on dry rockwork, or in well-drained sunny situations per 100, 15/-; per doz. 2/- o 3

***BRAYOA geminiflora**, a handsome hardy plant, long racemes of beautiful orange-scarlet drooping flowers; charming in pots and flower borders, 1½ ft. per doz. 4/6 o 5

BRODIAEA, a very beautiful family of hardy bulbs, well deserving a place in every choice border, or for select nooks on rockwork. June-July flowering.

Bridgesii, a fine distinct species, bearing umbels of pretty purplish-rose flowers with light centre, 1½ ft. per doz. 5/6 o 6

capitata alba, bearing on tall stems umbels of lovely pure white flowers, 2 ft. per doz. 4/6 o 5

coccinea (**Fire-Cracker of California**), a remarkably handsome plant bearing graceful umbels of long tubular blood-red flowers, tipped green, 1½ ft. per 100, 21/-; per doz. 3/- o 4

congesta, lilac, flowers in rosettes, valuable as a cut flower, 2 ft. 1/- ...

grandiflora, charming bright blue flowers, quite hardy, a most valuable dwarf spring flower for edgings, masses, &c., ¾ ft. per 100, 5/6; per doz. 10d. ...

Hendersoni, handsome umbels of chrome-yellow flowers, striped violet o 9

each—s. *d.*

- For other new and beautiful species of **Brodiaëas**, see **Novelty List**, page 4.

***CALADIUM**, perhaps the most beautiful and picturesque of foliage stove plants.

esculentum, a handsome foliage plant for sub-tropical gardening, or for pots. If the tubers are started in heat in March they will produce nice plants ready for putting out in June; in autumn, at the approach of cold weather, cut down all the leaves except the centre one to within an inch or two from the crown, and a few days after take the tubers up and store in sand in a dry cool place away from frost until spring

CALOCHORTUS, or more popularly known as the **Butterfly** or **Mariposa Tulips**, **Globe Tulips**, and **Star Tulips**. (See *Illustration*, page 13.) These lovely Californian bulbs, although belonging to the same Natural Order as the Tulips of our gardens, bear little resemblance to them. They flower through June and July, and for delicacy of texture and brilliancy of colour are unsurpassed; they deserve a place in every Hardy Flower border, and for select places in the Rock Garden they are charming.

They all make charming pot plants (several bulbs in a pot) for the cool greenhouse or cape pit.

When in full growth give occasional soakings of water, but not too frequently. After flowering, ripen off by placing glass over them, or take up when foliage dies down.

The 'Globe Tulips,' being woodland plants, like partial shade and a porous soil composed principally of leaf mould.

Selections of Calochorti, from Sections 1, 2, and 3:

1 " " 24 " 15/- 1 " " 12 " 4/-

One each of the 28 Calochorti described, 18/6.

Section I.—Butterfly or Mariposa Tulips, all of remarkable beauty with large open flowers.

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|---|---------------|-----|
| clavatus , very large handsome expanded flowers of a brilliant deep yellow, borne on | each—s. d. | |
| sturdy branching stems, ht. 8 inches. Award of Merit R.H.S. | per doz. 15/- | 1 6 |
| Gunnisoni , large pure white flowers of great beauty, with a greenish hairy zone, ht. 2 ft., | | |
| fine for cutting. Award of Merit R.H.S. | per doz. 4/6 | 0 5 |
| Kennedyi , flowers of a remarkably striking colour, bright brick scarlet, with black central | | |
| blotches, beautiful | | 1 6 |
| lilacinus , a fine species, flowers mostly pale lilac, with or without a dark blotch, very | | |
| pretty | per doz. 3/6 | 0 4 |
| luteus , beautiful bright yellow with a zone of reddish brown near base, ht. 1 ft., per doz. 2 6 | | 0 3 |
| „ concolor , flowers a very lovely clear yellow, large and open, with slight brown | | |
| markings at base. Award of Merit R.H.S. | | 1 6 |
| macrocarpus , a splendid species, bearing very large flowers of a beautiful pale lavender, | | |
| with darker centre and banded green. Award of Merit R.H.S. | per doz. 7/6 | 0 8 |
| nitidus , bearing several large very pale lilac flowers, each petal having an indigo blotch | | |
| and being covered with long hairs, very beautiful | per doz. 8/6 | 0 9 |
| Nuttallii lutescens , a lovely species with large rich cream-coloured flowers | „ 7/6 | 0 8 |
| obispoensis , very curious and interesting; flowers yellow. densely covered with brown hairs, | | |
| the flower bracts much longer than the petals | | 1 6 |
| Plummeræ , of extreme beauty, bearing a branching spike of large soft lavender flowers, | | |
| each petal lined with long silky golden hairs. Floral Certificate R.H.S. | per doz. 10/6 | 1 0 |
| splendens , a tall and stately species with large pale lilac flowers, covered inside with silky | | |
| white hairs, beautiful | per doz. 4/6 | 0 5 |
| „ atro-violacea , flowers purple, with deep red blotch on petal | per doz. 4/6 | 0 5 |
| „ ruber , a handsome and scarce variety, large rose-purple flowers with dark | | |
| blotch at base of petal | per doz. 10/6 | 1 0 |
| „ var. flexuosus , a splendid variety with large brilliant purple flowers, having | | |
| a darker purple blotch, and lined with golden hairs; stems almost trailing... | | 1 6 |

Reproduced from a Photograph taken at Barr & Sons' Nurseries.



Group of Barr's Butterfly or Mariposa Tulips (*Calochorti*).

See page 12.

Reproduced from a Photograph taken at Barr & Sons' Nurseries.



Group of Barr's Spanish Irises.

See page 30.

CALOCHORTUS.—Section I.—continued.

each s. d.

Venustus group—all having flowers of exquisite beauty, large and elegantly formed, valuable for cutting, ht. 2 ft.; these are all strong growers.

„	citrinus , large flowers of a fine golden colour with dark crimson blotch, of exquisite beauty; a gem for cutting	per doz. 2/6	o	3
„	purpurascens , a lovely variety, flowers large and outside purplish, inside creamy white, each petal handsomely blotched, very free. Award of Merit R.H.S.	per doz. 3/-	o	4
„	roseus , early and beautiful, flowers large, outside carmine-rose, inside creamy white with purple blotch	per doz. 4/6	o	5
„	sanguineus , a very richly coloured variety of great beauty	15/-	1	6
„	Vesta , a most lovely variety and one of the freest growers; flowers very large, and borne freely on long stalks, colour outside rose-purple, inside white to bluish, beautifully marked reddish brown and yellow	per doz. 5/6	o	6
„	Weedii , a grand variety, with large clear orange-yellow flowers, thickly lined with silky hairs, and dotted brown	per doz. 6/6	o	8
mixed varieties of Butterfly or Mariposa Tulips in great variety. We recommend everyone to try some of these gems both in the open ground and in pots				
		per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6	...	

Section II.—Globe Tulips or Fairy Bells.—These are the perfection of grace, with beautiful globular drooping flowers.

albus , bearing on branching stems, 9 to 12 inches high, several pearly white hairy flowers, which hang in pendant globes	per doz. 2/6	o	3
amoenus , a lovely new species, bearing lovely pendant globe-shaped flowers of a beautiful rose colour, dwarf. Floral Certificate	per doz. 6/6	o	8
pulchellus , bearing a quantity of golden globe-like pendant flowers, margins fringed with hair, dwarf and very beautiful	per doz. 2/6	o	3

Section III.—Star Tulips. These produce dainty little open cups on slender dwarf stems, and are of exquisite beauty.

Benthami , bright yellow with dark blotch at base, and covered with yellow hairs, per doz. 2/6	o	3
Howellii , a rare and beautiful species, growing about 1½ ft. high, with large, pale, straw-coloured flowers	1	6
cœruleus , pale blue, lined with long silky hairs, very beautiful	per doz. 6/6	o 8
Maweanus , flowers white, covered with silky blue hairs, a dainty little species...per doz. 3/6	o	4

For the New Eldorado Butterfly Tulips, see page 4.

CAMASSIA, very handsome hardy bulbous plants for flower borders and to naturalise.

Cusickii , a handsome new species, forming a rosette of broad glaucous foliage, from which rise tall spikes of large pale blue flowers with yellow anthers, 1½ ft.	per doz. 10/6	1	0
esculenta , pretty star-shaped blue flowers, freely produced on numerous spikes, 1½ ft.	per 100, 4/6; per doz. 8d.	...	
„ Leichtlini , large creamy-white flowers, rare, 2 ft.	per doz. 15s.	1	6
Fraseri , a distinct species from California, with pretty delicate pale blue flowers, 1 ft.,	per 100, 17/6; per doz. 2/6	o	3

***CANNA, Crozy's New Large-flowered Dwarf Hybrids mixed:** their handsome foliage, gorgeously coloured flowers, and fine dwarf habit, render these Cannas of great value for filling beds and grouping in borders; treatment same as for *Dahlias*.....per doz. 7/6

Crozy's New Large-flowered Named Varietiesper doz. 10/6 & 15/-

CHINESE SACRED LILY. See *Narcissus*, page 43.



CHIONODOXA LUCILÆ

CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow). The *Chionodoxa* is one of our earliest spring flowers, and its beauty in very early spring is unsurpassed. It should be largely planted in all borders and dotted over all bulb beds. They are perfectly hardy, and once planted come up year after year and never need be disturbed; when thus left the flower spikes increase in size and beauty each year. If grown in pots and jardinetts they may be had in bloom early in January, but should be brought on in a cold frame or cool greenhouse close to the glass. When associated with *Narcissus minimus*, the effect is charming, as both flower at the same time. For a fine immediate effect plant the bulbs close together.

Chionodoxa Lucilæ (The Glory of the Snow), unsurpassed for edgings and masses in flower borders and on rockwork: colour deep *Nemophila*-blue, with clear snow-white centre. We were awarded a **First-Class Certificate** for this lovely flower by the R.H.S.

Home-grown Bulbs	per 1000, 30/-; per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d.
Home-grown Bulbs, extra selected	„ 40/-; „ 4/6; „ 8d.
„ „ „ very large, for forcing	„ 5/6; „ 10d.

CHIONODOXA—continued.

CHIONODOXA SARDENSIS.

valuable decoration for the greenhouse and sitting-room. Awarded First-Class Certificate R.H.S.

Home-grown Bulbs.....per 1000, 50/-; per 100, 6/-; per doz. 1/-

„ „ **extra selected** „ 70/-; „ 8/6; „ 1/3

„ „ **very large, for forcing** „ 10/6; „ 1/6

Chionodoxa Tmolusii, a valuable species for succession; it blooms later than *C. Luciliae*, the blue is more intense and the white centre largerper 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3

COLCHICUM (Meadow Saffron); the great Crocus-like flowers carpet the ground in September and October, with colours ranging from pure white to intense crimson. The foliage appears in Spring, and is almost as varied as the flowers: in some it is large and massive, and in others small and frill-like; a grand bulb to naturalise in grass. each—s. d.

autumnale, light purplish roseper 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/9 ...

„ **album**, large pure white flowers „ 15/-; „ 2/3 0 3

„ **plenum**, pure white, large and very double, *very scarce* 5 6

„ **plenum**, lilac, large and very doubleper 100, 15/-; per doz. 2/3 0 3

„ **roseum**, a charming rosy lilac colour „ 15/-; „ 2/3 0 3

„ **plenum**, large double flowers, very pretty „ 15/-; „ 2/3 0 3

„ **striatum plenum**, very pretty double striped flowers „ 21/-; „ 3/- 0 4

Bivonæ, large rosy lilac flowers, a fine species „ 5/6 0 6

byzantinum, very beautiful rose-coloured flowers, perfect in form, and produced in great profusionper doz. 5/6 0 6

Parkinsoni, petals gracefully reflexed, and beautifully chequered rose-lilac and white, a remarkably striking flowerper 100, 30/-; per doz. 4/6 0 6

Sibthorpi (nerv), the largest of the *Colchicums*, flowers handsome rosy purple chequered 3 6

speciosum rubrum, intense dark ruby-crimson, petals of great substance, very large and handsomeper doz. 7/6 0 8

szovitzianum, small rose-coloured flowers, very prettyper 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/9 0 2

variegatum (syn. tessellatum and agrippinum), chequered rose-purple and white, a very pretty and showy flowerper 1000, 75/-; per 100, 8/6; per doz. 1/6 0 2

mixed Colchicums, for naturalising in wild gardens, woodlands, &c. „ 7/6; „ 1/3 ...

Pretty small Winter and Early Spring-flowering Species.

crociflorum, small white flowers, lined purple-violet, February, ht. 3 inches 2 6

montanum, a beautiful little species throwing up a profusion of flowers, rose to bluish-white, ht. 3 inchesper doz. 5/6 0 6

***COMMELINA tuberosa**, a fine border plant, covered with flowers of the richest blue, from Summer to Autumn; plant in Spring, 1½ ft.per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 0 2

CORYDALIS bulbosa, a very graceful little Spring flower for front border and rockwork, flowers rosy-purple, ½ ft.per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/- ...

„ **Ledebouriana (C. rutæfolia)**, a beautiful little creeping plant bearing racemes of rosy purple flowers in February and Marchper doz. 10/6 1 0

***CRINUM**, handsome warm greenhouse plants, with large umbels of funnel-shaped flowers. *C. Moorei* may be successfully grown and flowered out of doors if planted under the south wall of a stove or warm greenhouse, and protected during winter with a little straw.

augustum, a noble species, bearing immense heads of bloom; flowers inside white to purple; outside, rose-purple, deliciously scented10/6, 15/- 21 0

campanulatum (aquaticum), a handsome plant with large rosy red flowers; it should be stood in water whilst growing, 3 ft. 3 0

erubescens, flowers rosy white, outside purple, 2 ft.strong bulbs 7 6

fimbriatum, bearing umbels of very large fragrant flowers, striped white and carmine. 4 6

CRINUM—continued.

longifolium (<i>syn. capense</i>), fragrant pale rose flowers.....	Handsome hardy border plants bearing umbels of long funnel-shaped flowers, ht. 2 to 3 ft.	100, 25/-; doz. 3/6	each—s. d. 0 4
„ album , fragrant pure white flowers.....		„ 6/6	0 8
Moorei (<i>syn. Makoyanum</i>), fine large blush-rose flowers, handsome variety, 2 ft. ...		3/6 &	5 6
*CROCOSMA aurea , a most valuable decorative bulb, lighting up the garden in September with its graceful racemes of bright orange-coloured flowers, which are greatly prized for cutting, 3 ft. Plant out in light soil April or May. As a pot plant (6 bulbs in a pot), it is very charming ... per 100, 8/6; per doz. 1/3 ...			
„ imperialis (new), a grand acquisition, flowers twice the size of <i>C. aurea</i> , and of a fiery orange colour, a tall and vigorous grower, exceedingly showy.....		per doz. 15/-	1 6

CROCUSES.

The **Crocus** is one of the earliest flowers of Spring, and occupies a deservedly prominent place in every garden. Planted as an edging in triple lines of one or more colours, the effect is striking. No Spring display surpasses that of broad wavy bands of golden-yellow, striped, purple, or pure white Crocuses, when they expand their blossoms in February and March. In lawns and pleasure parks, planted in the grass, the Crocuses are extremely effective. For several years past in **Hyde Park, Regent's Park**, and other of the **London Parks**, Crocuses, Snowdrops, Daffodils, &c., have been planted in the grass, to the great delight of visitors. In wild gardens, woodland walks, &c., the Crocus should be associated with the violet, the primrose, and the oxlip.

When planting Crocuses outdoors plant as *shallow as possible*, barely covering the bulb; many amateurs plant too deeply, which is generally the cause of any failure in their blooming.

BARR'S CHEAP SHOWY CROCUSES for Large Plantings.

To encourage extensive planting in shrubberies, woodlands, wild gardens, in grass, on lawns, pleasure parks, &c., these Crocuses are quoted cheaply by the thousand. For a gorgeous effect in early Spring nothing can equal the **Golden Yellow Crocus**, large masses of which attract the eye at a great distance.

1000 in 5 varieties	s. d. 15 0	250 in 5 varieties	s. d. 4 0
500 in 5 „	7 9	100 in 5 „	2 0

Splendid Mixed, all coloursper 100, 1s. 3d.; per 1000, 10s. 6d.

	per 1000	per 100		per 1000	per 100
Barr's Large Purple , one sort	s. d. 16 6	s. d. 1 9	Golden-Yellow , good flowering bulbs	s. d. 14 6	s. d. 1 8
only			Large Golden-Yellow	20	0..2 6
Barr's Large Striped , one sort	16	6...1 9	Extra Large Golden-Yellow	30	0..3 6
only			Cloth of Silver , white or lilac, striped rich purple	18	6..2 0
Barr's Large White , one sort	16	6...1 9			
only					

BARR'S CHOICE NAMED LARGE-FLOWERED CROCUSES.**Large Roots for Pot-Culture and Flower Beds, &c.**

The following large-flowered named Crocuses are recommended for planting in groups, edgings, select beds, and in designs. *To obtain the finest effect the bulbs should be planted half an inch apart.* When grown in pots, plant thickly, and plunge pots in ashes only up to the rims. When removed from under the ashes, place in an airy situation, and give water very freely at the roots. A charming effect is obtained by growing Crocuses in shallow saucers of water (the bulbs touching one another), and this may be accomplished in an ordinary sitting-room.

1000 in 10 splendid varieties	s. d. 27 6	250 in 10 splendid varieties	s. d. 7 6
500 in 10 „	14 6	100 in 10 „	3 6

Extra choice mixed, from named varieties, all colours ...per 100, 2/6; per 1000, 21/-

	per 100.	per doz.		per 100.	per doz.
Barr's Giant Golden-Yellow ; these produce abundance of flowers	s. d. 5 6	s. d. 0 10	Mrs. Beecher Stowe , fine globular pure white flowers	s. d. 3 6	s. d. 0 6
Bleu Celeste , beautiful soft pale azure-blue	3	6...0 6	Mont Blanc , large pure white ...	2	6...0 4
David Rizzio , deep purple .....	.2	6...0 4	Ne Plus Ultra , fine deep purple, tipped white	3	0...0 6
Duke of York , a remarkably striking flower, heavily striped white and brilliant purple.....	3	6...0 6	Pride of Albion , white, striped violet, large and fine	2	6...0 4
King of Blues , intense blue-purple, large	3	6...0 6	Queen of Purples , the richest and darkest purple, splendid large flowers	3	6...0 6
Ira Aldridge , soft lilac blotched crimson purple... (Two charming smaller flowered crocuses)	5	6...0 10	Sarah Bernhardt , handsomely striped white, lilac and violet, showy	3	0...0 6
L'Unique , pretty soft rosy-purple, medium sized flowers	5	6...0 10	Snow Queen , splendid large snow-white flowers	3	6...0 6
Madame Mina , white striped lilac	2	6...0 4	Sir Walter Scott , very prettily pencilled lilac on a white ground, fine large flower	2	6...0 4
Margot , very distinct and beautiful, outer petals shaded white, inner petals soft lavender	4	6...0 8	Striped Beauty , large showy flowers, heavily striped white and deep lilac.....	3	6...0 0

**BARR'S AUTUMN, WINTER, AND SPRING-FLOWERING SPECIES
OF CROCUSES.**

Our collection of these Crocuses consists mostly of wild species, many of which were collected by George Maw, Esq., in Greece, Syria, Palestine, &c.; they cannot fail to be acceptable for rockwork and other select places, where they may be seen to advantage. Our collection of Crocus species is the most perfect in the world.

CROCUS—SELECTIONS OF AUTUMN, WINTER, AND SPRING-FLOWERING SPECIES.

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A Full Descriptive List of our *Crocus Species* may be had on application.

✂ The few species quoted below are mostly those we can offer cheaply in quantity, and we can strongly recommend them for establishing in masses, on rockwork, &c., where their beauty will delight the eye, from Autumn till early Spring.

Autumn-flowering.

Autumn-flowering.		per 100 per doz.	
		s.	d.
Asturisticus , purple-lilac with darker stripes at base, beautiful	10	6...	1 6
„ atropurpureus , dark purple	10	6...	1 6
Hadriaticus chrysobelonicus , white, with yellow throat, pencilled at base with reddish lines, very pretty	21	0...	3 0
Iridiflorus , large rich purple, inner segments pale lilac, handsome	17	6...	2 6
Longiflorus (odorus) , charming soft rose-lilac, very beautiful when naturalised	3	6...	0 6
per 1000, 30/-			
Pulchellus , lavender-blue	25	0...	3 6
Salzmanni , lilac dark-feathered, per 1000, 25/-	3	0...	0 4
Sativus (Saffron Crocus) , purple	4	6...	0 8
per 1000, 40/-			
„ Cartwrightianus , lilac, with scarlet stigma.....	10	6...	1 6
Serotinus , lilac, shaded lavender...	17	6...	2 6
Speciosus , bright blue, remarkably handsome and showy, one of the hardiest and most beautiful Autumn Crocuses for planting in grass, &c.			
per 1000, 42s.	5	6...	0 10
Zonatus , rose-lilac, with scarlet zone, most beautiful ..	10	6...	1 6

Winter-flowering.

Chrysanthus , rich orange-yellow	7	6...1	3
„ fusco-lineatus , clear			
yellow, striped crimson-brown	7	6...1	3
„ fusco-tinctus , clear			
yellow, stained brown, beautiful	5	6...0	10
Etruscus , white, lined purple	5	6...0	10
Imperati , violet, fawn, and black, striking and beautiful, per 1000, 42/-	5	0...0	10
Nevadensis , pale lilac, feathered purple, collected by Mr. Peter Barr, on the Sierra Nevada.....	30	0...4	6
Sieberi , bright purple	6	6...1	0

Early Spring-flowering.

		per 100	per doz.
		s. d.	s. d.
Aureus pallidus , pretty primrose colour		7	6...1 3
„ sulphureus concolor , beautiful soft sulphur colour, fine for lines and masses, per 1000, 17/6		2	0...0 4
„ „ striatus , sulphur, striped crimson-brown, beautiful per 1000, 25/-		3	0...0 6
Biflorus argenteus , snow-white feathered black, stigma orange per 1000, 42/-		5	6...0 10
„ minor , inner segments lilac, outer segments striped purple, early, free, and very pretty ...		5	6...0 10
„ pusillus , white, outer segments feathered, throat orange, a lovely little species for edgings and masses		5	6...0 10
Cloth of Gold (C. susianus) , golden-yellow, striped brown, very dwarf and showy ... per 1000, 15/-		1	9...0 3
Obesus , purple, shading to dark purple		7	6...1 3
Stellaris , orange, feathered purple-brown, very showy in lines and masses.....per 1000, 30/-		3	6...0 6
Tommassinianus , a very beautiful flower, pale sapphire-lavender, a charming continuous bloomer per 1000, 21/-		2	6...0 4
„ atropurpureus , rich bright blue		7	6...1 3
„ pallidus , soft pale lilac.....	10	6...1 6	
Vernus Emperor , bright purple		7	6...1 3
„ George Maw , white, with a yellow band running up the centre of each outer segment, beautiful		7	6...1 3
„ leucostigma , rich purple with white stigma		7	6...1 3
„ Leedsii , rich purple, tipped snow-white, striking		7	6...1 3
„ obovatus , white striped lilac, a pretty flower		5	6...0 10
Versicolor striatus , purple, striped deep purple, handsome.....	10	6...1 6	

CROWN IMPERIAL

The Crown Imperial (*Fritillaria imperialis*) is a stately hardy border-plant, very effective in Spring. Its tall stem terminates in a cluster of pendant bell-shaped flowers, surmounted by a whorl of fresh green leaves. For forming bold groups in the permanent border or on lawns it is of great value.

Aurora , a very beautiful orange colour, 3 ft.	per doz.	3/6	0	4
Deep Orange-red , 3 ft.	"	3	6	0 4
Fol.-variegatis , an exceedingly ornamental border plant with graceful variegated foliage and orange-red flowers	per doz.	8/6	0	10

CROWN IMPERIAL—*continued*.

Giant Red , a grand variety with handsome rich orange-red flowers of immense size, $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.	each—s. d.	
Pure Yellow , 3 ft.	per doz. 10/6	1 0
mixed , various shades, 3 ft.	" 5/6	0 6
3 each of the 5 above named sorts	" 3/6	...
CUMMINGIA trimaculata , an exquisite summer-flowering greenhouse bulb, with beautiful blue flowers, spotted black, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	7/-	...
		3 6

CYCLAMEN FOR GREENHOUSE (C. persicum).**BARR'S LARGE-FLOWERED DWARF STRAIN FOR GREENHOUSE OR SITTING-ROOM DECORATION.**

These beautiful Cyclamens are a great improvement on the old strain; the flowers are large, of rich and delicate colours, and stand well above the handsome foliage; the plants are of dwarf and compact habit.

Plants in Pots, set with bud or in bloom, *supplied from September to December*—
per doz. 15/-, 21/-, 25/-, and 30/-; each, 1/6, 2/-, 2/6, 3/6, and 5/6, according to size.

Seed of Barr's Prize Strain of Cyclamen persicum for November sowing,
per pkt. 1/6 and 2/6.

CYCLAMEN. Hardy Species for Rock-Work Out-of-Doors.

Plants ready to send out at all seasons.

These **Hardy Cyclamen** require perfect drainage, and shelter from the cutting winds of March and April, and the hot rays of the Summer sun; at the bottom of old walls facing north and on rockwork they are very beautiful; or nestling in the grass, near the roots and under the shelter of old trees, the effect is most charming. *C. Europæum* is fragrant, and commences flowering in July. *Ibericum* and *Coum* varieties bloom from December to March; *Repandum* closes the Cyclamen season in April. *Repandum* and *Africanum* should be planted in warm protected situations on rockwork, and covered with cut heather, straw, or a few light boughs, to keep off cutting ground winds till March.

Cyclamen neapolitanum and **græcum** are perfectly hardy, and have throughout Autumn and Spring large and beautifully variegated leaves; they make beautiful Winter beds, intermixed with *Scillas*, *Chionodoxas*, *Leucojums*, *Miniature Daffodils*, *Snowdrops*, *Muscari*, &c.

Hardy Cyclamen, Autumn, Winter and Spring-flowering,

"	"	"	"	each—s. d.	"	12 varieties, 3 roots of each, 21/-	
"	"	"	"	"	"	12 varieties, 1 root of each, 8/-	
Africanum (<i>syn. macrophyllum</i>), enormous silvery marbled leaves, handsome	per doz. 7/6	0 9			Gilicicum , white, with bright purple centre, <i>rare</i>	1 6	
Ibericum Atkinsi , white, crimson centre	per doz. 7/6	0 9			Coum , bright crimson...per 100, 35/-;		
" lilacinum , rosy lilac, crimson centre	per doz. 10/6	1 0			" album , white	5/6	0 6
" roseum , pretty rose-coloured flowers	per doz. 5/6	0 6			" roseum , bright rose... ..	10/6	1 0
					Europæum , crimson, sweet-scented, from open ground...per 100, 21/-;		
					per doz. 3/6	0 4	
					" libanoticum , a rare new species offered for the first time.....	3 6	



CYCLAMEN NEAPOLITANUM.

Neapolitanum (*syn. hederæfolium*), flowers rosy pink, large handsome silver-marbled foliage. This beautiful species should be largely used for winter beds, intermingled with *Scillas*, *Chionodoxas*, *Leucojums*, *Narcissus nanus*, *Snowdrops*, *Muscari*, &c., its beautiful foliage contrasting charmingly with these pretty little Spring flowers

Extra Large Bulbs, per doz. 5/6 0 6

Fine Large Bulbs, " 4/6 0 5

Good Flowering Bulbs, " 3/6 0 4

" **album**, pure white..... " 7/6 0 9

Græcum, beautiful delicate rose-coloured flowers.....per doz. 7/6 0 9

Repandum (*syn. vernum*), bright crimson; established masses are very beautiful in Spring, *extra strong roots*

per 100, 25/-; per doz. 3/6 0 4

" **album**, pure white " 10/6 1 0

Ibericum rubrum, deep crimson flowers

per doz. 5/6 0 6

" **mixed**, seedlings

per 100, 30/-; " 4/6 ...

CYCLOBOTHRAS. See Calochortus.***CYRTANTHUS**

Macowanii, brilliant orange, very handsome, 1 ft....

Mackenii, sweetly scented pure white flowers in

clusters, very beautiful

sanguineus, blood-red flowers, remarkably handsome

and beautiful

These are remarkable for their handsome drooping blossoms; *sanguineus* is one of the most handsome of all Amaryllids. Greenhouse-culture. Summer-flowering.

ERYTHRONIUM—continued.

each—s. d.

- † **revolutum** (true) (*Baker*), flowers opening blush or pink, and changing to rosy purple, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per doz. 5/6 o 6
- „ **Bolanderi** (*syn. Smithii*), beautiful white flowers, changing later on to purple, handsome foliageper doz. 5/6 o 6
- † „ **Watsoni**, charming large creamy white flowers, with yellow central ring, usually mottled brownper doz. 5/6 o 6
- † **Mixed American Large-flowered Dog's Tooth Violets** for naturalising in shady and moist situationsper 100, 17/6; per doz. 2/6 ...
- EUCHARIS amazonica** (*The White Amazon Lily*), the snow-white flowers of this handsome stove-plant are deliciously fragrant, and are much used for bouquets and wreaths, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. We can offer fine healthy plants as follows:
- Strong flowering single bulbs, established in pots*, per 100, £5. 5s.; per doz. 15/-; each 1/6
- Established pots of several bulbs*, per pot, 5/6 & 7/6
- Grand specimen plants in No. 1 size pot*, each £5. 5s.
- „ „ „ „ *No. 2* „ „ £4. 4s.
- „ „ „ „ *No. 3* „ „ £3. 3s.
- * **EUCOMIS punctata**, a handsome autumn-flowering hardy plant, with spotted foliage and long spikes of wax-like white starry flowers spotted rose, very fragrant, 2 ft.per doz. 6/6 o 8
- * **EURYCLES**, very handsome stove or warm greenhouse bulbous plants, allied to the *Pancratium*, bearing large heads of bloom and handsome broad leaves. Keep the bulbs dry during Winter, pot in early Spring in rich light soil, place in bottom heat, and give abundance of water while in growth.
- Cunninghami** (*The Brisbane Lily*), handsome heads of pure white flowers, 1 ft.per doz. 12/- 1 3
- sylvestris** (*syn. australasica amboinensis*), producing large heads of numerous pearly white flowersper doz. 12/- 1 3
- FEATHERED-HYACINTH.** See *Muscari*.
- FREESIA.** Freesias are prized for their delightful fragrance. They are easily grown, and may be forced into bloom by Christmas if required.
- Leichtlini major**, primrose, with orange blotch, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/- ...
- „ „ **extra large forcing roots** „ 8/6; „ 1/3 ...
- refracta alba**, pure white, 1 ft.per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/- ...
- „ „ **extra large forcing roots** „ 8/6; „ 1/3 ...
- in mixture** „ 5/6; „ 10d. ...
- FRITILLARIA**, an extremely elegant family of hardy plants, bearing graceful drooping bell-shaped flowers in May. The large-flowered varieties are charming for grouping in borders and for clumps on rockwork; the smaller flowered dwarf kinds for select nooks on the rockery. They are all essentially shade-loving plants, and a little sharp sand placed around the bulbs at time of planting is very beneficial. All make very pretty pot plants (several in a pot) for greenhouse decoration.
- The 'Snakeshead Fritillarias' (*F. meleagris* vars.) have large graceful bell-shaped chequered flowers; they are of easy culture, and are very effective in groups on rockwork, flower border, or naturalised in grass; they also make charming pot-plants.
- meleagris, rosy purple shades**, beautifully chequered, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft. per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 o 2
- „ **pure white**, a beautiful variety, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft. „ 12/6; „ 1/9 o 2
- „ **mixed varieties**, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft. „ 5/6; „ 10d. ...
- latifolia mixed shades**, broad foliage and handsome chequered flowers, larger and earlier than the *Meleagris* varieties, 1 ft.per 100, 8/6; per doz. 1/3 ...
- armena, rich yellow** } Charming dwarf species from Asia Minor, bearing elegant small bell-shaped flowers, in April. They should be planted in clumps (6 to 12 bulbs) on rockwork, &c. They also make good pot-plants. { per 100, 15/-
- „ **rubra,** } { per doz. 2/6 o 3
- „ **plum-coloured** } { per doz. 2/6 o 3
- aurea (new)**, very handsome species from Asia Minor, with beautiful large rich golden-yellow flowers in April, charming alike in borders, pots, or on rockwork, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. (a *Coloured Plate* sent post free for 6d.)per doz. 3/6 o 4
- Burnati**, a lovely species with large drooping bell-shaped flowers of a crimson brown, handsomely chequered, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.per doz. 7/6 o 9
- citrina**, pretty bright green bells, shaded citron-yellow, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.per 100, 21/-; per doz. 3/- o 4
- Guicciardi (new)**, maroon-purple and green, distinct and pretty, 1 ft.per doz. 3/- o 4
- imperialis.** See *Crown Imperial*.
- kamschatica (The Black Lily)**, producing elegant pyramidal spikes of handsome black flowers in May, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.per doz. 8/6 o 9
- lanceolata**, flowers curiously mottled green, brown, and yellow, distinct, 1 ft.per doz. 5/6 o 6
- „ **gracilis**, dark brown mottled, distinct and pretty, 1 ft.per doz. 5/6 o 9
- Moggridgei**, a lovely species with very large handsome drooping golden-yellow flowers, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per 100, 35/-; per doz. 5/6 o 6
- oranensis**, a very handsome and distinct Algerian species, flowers dark maroon and green, 1 ft.per doz. 8/6 o 9
- pallidiflora**, very large handsome pale yellow chequered flowers, 1 ft.per doz. 12/- 1 3
- persica (The Persian Lily)**, from Mount Ararat, with spikes of numerous dusky brown, small bell-shaped flowers, 2 ft.per doz. 6/6 o 8
- pontica**, large bells, yellowish-green, flushed rose, inside green with dark spots, 1 ft. 2 6

FRITILLARIA—*continued*.

pudica, small deep golden-yellow bell-shaped fragrant flowers, in April, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. ...per doz. 8/6 o 10
pyrenaica, large elegant plum-coloured bells reflexing at mouth, inside yellow, beautifully reticulated brown, a most handsome plant, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per 100, 30/-; per doz. 4/6 o 6
recurva, this very beautiful species produces its orange-scarlet drooping bells in early May, and should have a place in every collection of choice plants, 1 ft.

very large bulbs, per doz. 7/6 o 8
Ruthenica, graceful pendent bells of almost black flowers, ht. 1 ft., 10/6 1 o
Walujewi (new), inside blood-red, outside silvery grey, large and very beautiful, 1 ft.

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For three other grand species, see Novelty List, page 5.

GALANTHUS (Snowdrop).

In the early Spring months, there is nothing more beautiful than a sheet of the **snowy graceful blossoms of the Snowdrop**. In planting, the bulbs should almost touch each other. An effect of surpassing beauty may be obtained with Snowdrops associated with *Seillas sibirica*, or *bifolia*, *Chionodoxa Lucillæ*, *C. sardensis*, or *C. gigantea*. When practicable such plantings should be permanent, and the surface of the soil top dressed in Summer and sown with annuals, such as *Nemophila*, *Leptosiphon*, &c., or planted with surface rooting bedding plants. The **Snowdrop** and the **Crocus** when planted in alternate circles are very effective, and follow each other so closely that no gap is left in the succession.

In beds of **Tulips and Hyacinths**, Snowdrops are very effective between the lines; they flower while these bulbs are just moving the surface, and when the flowers are over there remains an elegant groundwork of green foliage.

The **Snowdrop**, nestling in grass, looks charmingly at home, as also on hedge banks, &c. The turf need not be disturbed, but holes about three inches apart and five inches deep should be made with a dibber, dropping in three inches of fresh soil, then three or more bulbs. The **Giant Single Snowdrop**, *Galanthus Elwesii*, should be extensively used; its flowers are large and valuable for cutting. In its native habitat it is found growing with the *Chionodoxa*, and the effect of the two together is lovely.

Permanent plantings of Snowdrops should be made always in the shade as far as possible.

	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Single-flowering Snowdrops (<i>G. nivalis</i>) .....p. 1000	21	0...	p. 100	2	6...	p. doz. o 5
extra fine bulbs	27	6...	3	0...	3	0 6

Double-flowering Snowdrops (<i>G. nivalis</i> , fl. pl.)	These will produce a proportion of single flowers as the doubles cannot be had quite pure.	21	0...	2	6...	0 5
extra fine bulbs		27	6...	3	0...	0 6

ELWES' GIANT SINGLE SNOWDROP (*Galanthus Elwesii*), a distinct and beautiful species from the mountains near Smyrna, and the largest and most handsome of all Snowdrops. It has very large pure white globular segments, with rich emerald-green and white tube.

	s.	d.	s.	d.
Extra Strong Selected Bulbs .....per 1000	35	0...	per 100	4 0...
Strong Selected Bulbs	25	0...	3	0...

Smaller Bulbs for Naturalisation, mostly flowering size	15	0...	1	9...
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A few Monster Bulbs for Pot Culture	5	6...	0 10
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Elwesii var. Cassaba, a strong grower with large bold foliage and fine globular flowers per doz. 2 6

Fosteri, a fine tall distinct species, with handsome broad foliage and long elegant flowers

per doz. 3/6; each o 4

Ikarizæ (new), a most beautiful distinct Snowdrop. See Novelty List, page 5

per 100, 15/-; per doz. 2 3

Imperati, fine large white flowers, tall growerper 100, 7/6; per doz. 1 3

latifolius (Redoutei), the **Broad-leaved Snowdrop**, a fine distinct species, with broad light green foliage

per doz. 3 6

octobrensis, a rare autumn-flowering specieseach 1 3

plicatus (**Giant Crimean Single Snowdrop**), large handsome flowers with plicate foliage, very distinct...extra large bulbs, per 100, 21/-; per doz. 3 0

robustus, flowers of shapely beauty and great substance ...per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1 6

For other Beautiful New Snowdrops see Novelty List, page 5.

GALTONIA CANDICANS, the **Great Snow-White Summer-flowering Hyacinth**. Attains a height of 3 to 6 feet, according to soil and situation, and is surmounted with 20 to 50 graceful pendent pure white bell-shaped flowers; a



GALTONIA CANDICANS.

handsome decorative plant for grouping in the flower border or on lawns, also a fine pot-plant for the conservatory. In bedding effective groups are obtainable by alternating the bulbs of *Galtonia candicans* with those of the scarlet *Gladioli Breuchleyensis*, the snowy white flower spikes of *G. candicans* topping those of the scarlet *Gladioli*. Both bloom at the same period.

Strong Flowering Bulbsper 100, 6/6; per doz. 1 0
Extra Large Selected Bulbs.....per 100, 8/6; per doz. 1 3

GASTRONEMA. See *Cyrtanthus*.

GEISSORHIZA

Rochensis, a Cape bulb of exquisite beauty, bearing in June intense Tyrian blue flowers with rich crimson blotches in centre, a gem for pot-culture and rockwork, ht. $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.

per doz. 7/6 each 0 8

GLADIOLI, Early-flowering, for Autumn and Winter Planting.

These beautiful **Early-flowering Gladioli** are greatly prized as cut flowers from May to July for filling vases, &c., and on this account, as also for the fine effect they produce in the flower garden, they should be largely planted. *G. Colvillei*, **The Bride**, is exceptionally valuable, and is extensively grown in pots to cut during April, May, and June for Covent Garden Market. All these early *Gladioli* may be grown in pots for indoor decoration.

CULTURE OUT-DOORS.—Select a sunny situation protected from cutting winds. Trench the ground deeply, working in plenty of rotten manure in the underspit; and plant from end of October to January at a depth of four to five inches. *After planting cover with long straw litter or other light material, which remove in March.* If the summer is dry and the weather hot, an occasional good soaking of water or liquid manure will prove beneficial.

CULTURE FOR CONSERVATORY DECORATION.—Plant three to five bulbs, according to size, in a 5- or 6-inch pot, and plunge in ashes in a cold frame or pit, withholding water till the bulbs have started into growth; or, the pots may be buried in ashes out of doors, and remain undisturbed till ready to remove indoors.

MAY- AND JUNE-FLOWERING HARDY GLADIOLI.

	p. 100.	p. 10z.
	s. d.	s. d.
Byzantinus , showy brilliant rosy claret, useful for borders, naturalising, or cutting, ht. 2 ft.	3 6	0 6
Colvillei , crimson purple, flaked white, very showy, valuable for naturalisation. ht. 1½ ft.	3 6	0 6
„ The Bride , pure white flowers, most valuable in early Summer for border decoration and cutting. It is also a grand pot-plant indoors, ht. 2 ft.	3 6	0 6
„ „extra large roots	4 6	0 8

JUNE- AND JULY-FLOWERING HARDY GLADIOLI.

6 each of 12 beautiful vars.....12/- & 18/-	s. d.	
3 „ 12 „ „ „ ...6/6 & 9/6		
1 „ 12 „ „ „ ...2/6 & 3/6		
	per doz.—s. d.	
Amsterdam , large salmon-scarlet, with white blotches, 1½ ft. per 100, 15/-	2 3	
Alfred Tennyson , pale salmon-rose, with white flakes, very beautiful, 1½ ft.	3 6	
Blushing Bride , the most beautiful of all, flowers ivory-white, flaked deep crimson, very lovely, early, 1½ ft.		
	per 100, 25/-	3 6
Cardinalis , bright scarlet and white, 1½ ft.	per 100, 12/6	1 9
Fire King , brilliant orange-scarlet, flaked crimson and white, large handsome flowers, 1½ ft.	7 6	
Formosissimus , brilliant deep scarlet, flaked white, 1½ ft.	per 100, 8/6	1 3
Insignis , large rosy scarlet, flaked purple-crimson, beautiful, 2 ft.	per 100, 14/6	2 0
Gladiolus Nanus , Dwarf Early Mixed , beautiful shades of blush, pink, rose, salmon, orange, scarlet, &c., charming for grouping in beds and borders, ht. 1 ft.	per 1000, 25/-; per 100, 3/-; per doz.	0 6
Early Gladioli, splendid Mixed , of many beautiful shades, valuable for beds and borders.....per 100, 6/6	1 0	
Ne Plus Ultra , deep salmon-rose, shaded scarlet, blotched crimson and white, 2½ ft.	per 100, 6/6	1 0
Pink Perfection , long graceful spikes of clear satiny pink flowers	per 100, 17/6	2 6
Prince Rudolph , dark cherry-scarlet, with crimson blotch, handsome, ht. 1¾ ft.	5 6	
Queen Victoria , bright scarlet, flaked white, showy, ht. 1¾ ft.	per 100, 8/6	1 3
Ramosus , beautiful salmon-rose, flaked crimson, 2 ft.	per 100, 8/6	1 3
Rosy Gem , bright rose-pink, free-flowering, valuable for cutting, ht. 1½ ft.	per 100, 12/6	1 9
Salmon Queen , clear salmon-pink	4 6	
Sarnian Gem , beautiful salmon, with white and carmine flakes, 1½ ft.	4 6	

GLADIOLI, Autumn-flowering (Varieties of Gandavensis). A full descriptive list of these *Gladioli*, with full cultural directions, will be found in our Special Early Spring Bulb List published in *January* and sent free on application.

Fine Selected Bulbs supplied from December to May.

3 each of 30 beautiful vars. ... 42/- & 63/-	1 each of 20 beautiful vars. ... 8/6 & 12/6
1 „ 30 „ „ „ ... 15/- & 22/-	3 „ 12 „ „ „ ... 12/6, 21/- & 30/-
3 „ 20 „ „ „ ... 22/6 & 35/-	1 „ 12 „ „ „ ... 4/6, 7/6 & 10/6

GLADIOLI (AUTUMN-FLOWERING)—continued.



A GROUP OF BARR'S GLADIOLUS GANDAVENSIS.

GLADIOLUS, Lemoine's New Hybrid Butterfly (*G. Purpureo-auratus* × *G. Gandavensis*).

A handsome race of Gladioli, distinct in form and markings from the varieties of *Gandavensis*; the colours are beautiful, and the large blotches on the lower petals strikingly attractive. They are hardy vigorous growers, and bloom during the interval between the early and late flowering Gladioli.

Full Descriptive List of named varieties will be found in our Spring Bulb List, free on application.

3 each of 20 beautiful vars.....	45/-	1 each of 12 beautiful vars.....	7/6 & 10/6
1 " 20 " "	17/6	3 " 6 " "	7/6, 10/6 & 15/-
3 " 12 " " " ...	18/6 & 27/6	1 " 6 " " " .....	...2/9, 4/- & 5/6

Splendid Unnamed Seedlings, mixed, all flowering bulbs, which are sure to please, from their rich variety of colours and beautiful markings.....per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6

GLADIOLUS NANCEIANUS, New Giant-flowered.

Lemoine's Newest Race of Magnificent Gladioli (*G. Saundersi* × *G. Gandavensis*), surpassing all others in the enormous size of their large open flowers, which are freely produced on erect branching spikes. The blooms are elegant in outline and of brilliant colours, with elegant spottings and markings; they are hardy and remarkably floriferous.

Collection of 16 Beautiful Named Varieties, one bulb of each, 2/-
(A descriptive list can be had on application.)

GLADIOLUS CHILDSII, New Giant-flowered.

Max Leichtlin's Magnificent Hybrid Gladioli (*G. Saundersi* × *G. Gandavensis*). This grand race of Gladioli was produced by Herr Max Leichtlin of Baden-Baden, and differs from *G. nanceianus* in having a more robust habit, growing taller, and the blooms lasting longer.

Collection of 16 fine named varieties, one bulb of each 9/-

Splendid Unnamed Seedlings, all flowering bulbs. We can strongly recommend these for filling beds and grouping in borders; the magnificent flowers with their brilliant colours and markings are sure to pleaseper 100, 42/-; per doz. 5/6

GLADIOLI, Rare and Beautiful Species.

Of the species contained in the undermentioned collection, *Alatus*, *Galeatus*, *Gracilis*, *Hirsutus*, *Præcox*, and *Ringens* should be planted under a south wall, or in sunny warm spots on rockwork; in pots they are also charming. The other species are hardy. *Psittacius* and *Saundersi* plant in Spring, the others in Autumn. These beautiful Gladioli flower April to June, except *Dracocephalus*, *Purpureo-auratus*, and *Saundersi*, which bloom July to August.

Collection of 1 each of 20 interesting and beautiful species of Gladioli	10/6	...
alatus , a remarkably beautiful and showy dwarf species with large elegant lemon-coloured flowers, broadly tipped brick-red, ht. 8 in.	per doz. 7/6	each—s. d. 0 8
Saundersi , bright salmon-scarlet, lower petals white, spotted scarlet, showy, 2 ft. per doz. 7/6 ;		0 8
tristis , graceful spikes of large greenish white flowers, delightfully fragrant, prized for cutting, 1½ ft.	per doz. 4/6 ;	0 5

p. 100. p. doz.
s. d. s. d.

Brilliant Reds and Scarlets

of shades, in mixture18 6...2 6

Roses of shades, in mixture18 6 2 6

Whites of shades, in mixture18 6...2 6

Yellows of shades, in mixture ...30 0...4 6

Flesh & Salmon shades, mixed 21 0...3 0

Barr's Choicest Strain, in mixture. These have bold spikes of large handsome flowers in great variety of rich and brilliant colours. Purchasers will be greatly pleased with this grand strain21 0...3 0

Fine mixture of many colours, embracing many rich and varied colours, with bold spikes of large handsome flowers.....10 6...1 9

GLADIOLUS BRENCHEYENSIS.**The Large-flowered Vermilion-**

Scarlet Gladiolus, preceding the *Gladiolus gandavensis* varieties in time of flowering. A fine effect may be produced by massing this Gladiolus with *Galtonia candicans*, the snowy white spikes of which top the Scarlet Gladioli; both bloom at the same time.

1st size Bulbs, p. 1000, 60/-; 7 6...1 3

2nd ,, ,, ,, 45/-; 5 0..0 10

Extra Large Bulbs, 10 6...1 6

* **GLORIOSA** *superba* (the *Gloriosa Lily*), a charming stove climber, with snowy rich orange-red flowers; when trained on a globe or along a wire its splendid blossoms are seen to the best advantage each—s. d. 3 6

GLORY OF THE SNOW. See *Chionodoxa*, page 15.

* **GLOXINIA**, Barr's Splendid Exhibition Named Varieties,

Good Named Varieties per doz. 18/-, 24/-, and 30/- ...
Barr's Beautiful Seedling Varieties, Mixed per doz. 10/6 ...
..... per doz. 4/6 ...

GRAPE HYACINTH. See *Muscari*, page 41.

GUERNSEY LILY. See *Nerine sarniensis*, page 43.

HÆMANTHUS. It would not be possible to overrate the grand effect of these noble plants, whether grown in the greenhouse or stove.

Kalbreyeri, a grand plant with immense heads of numerous flowers which are brilliant vermilion with golden anthers, very showy, 1 ft. 4 6

Katharinæ, a magnificent plant of noble bearing, with large heads of brilliant orange-scarlet flowers, 2 ft. 7 6

Nelsoni (new), a fine distinct species with deep rosy-purple flowers, 1 ft. 2 6

puniceus, orange-scarlet, 1 ft., each 2/6; **coccineus**, scarlet, 1 ft. 2 6

HELEBORUS NIGER.—The White Christmas Rose.

maximus, the Great Christmas Rose, a grand species, flowering from October to January, and remarkable for its large dark green leaves, and very large white rose-tinted flowers, which come pure white under glass,

extra strong clumps, full of bud, for forcing, 2/6 and 3 6

Bath Christmas Rose, a valuable variety to follow *Maximus*, bearing large pure white flowers, strong clumps for forcing per doz. 15/-, 24/-, and 36/-; 1/6, 2/6, and 3 6

☞ For other varieties of Christmas Roses and also our beautiful Lenten Roses, see our Hardy Plant Catalogue, free on application.

HOMERIA aurantiaca (**Bobartia**), bearing a profusion of charming bright salmon-rose flowers in summer; plant on light soils or rockwork, 1 ft.

,, **collina**, a beautiful Sparaxis-like plant, with a profusion of orange-scarlet flowers, per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3 ...

1 ft., cultural treatment same as for *Ixias* per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3 ...

BARR'S CHOICE NAMED HYACINTHS.

FOR CULTURE IN GLASSES, JARDINETTS, POTS, AND FOR EXHIBITION.

CULTURE IN POTS.—The best soil to use is a compost of good fibrous loam with a liberal addition of leaf-soil, sharp sand, and well-decayed cow manure. The whole should be well mixed and left to stand some time before being used.

In potting, leave the top of the bulb just exposed, and let the soil be in a nice friable state and not too moist. The pots should then, at once, be placed outdoors on a bed of ashes, and covered with six inches of the same material, or cocoa fibre, and left exposed to all weathers. When the bulbs have well rooted, and about an inch of the top growth has been made, they may be removed indoors, first into a subdued light until the blanched foliage has attained its full green colour, and then into the sunniest situation at command in the greenhouse or conservatory. Abundance of air, a moderately moist atmosphere, and plenty of water at the roots is then necessary for early, well-developed flower spikes. A dry or frosty atmosphere or a draughty situation will cause the flower buds to shrivel. Forcing should only be done gently, the temperature not exceeding 60 degrees.

If finely developed trusses and rich colours are preferred to very early flowers, the *Hyacinth* should not be forced, but be left outdoors longer to develop, and then removed to a mild temperature like that of a cool greenhouse, a sitting-room window, or frame, always selecting the sunniest and most genial situation.

CULTURE IN GLASSES.—Pure clear water should be used with a piece or two of charcoal in it to keep the water sweet. The base of the bulb should at all times just touch the water. Place the glasses in a cool dark place to encourage root growth. When the glasses are nearly full of roots admit them to the light gradually, and then to the sunniest place at command till the flower spikes are well developed. Avoid a too dry or frosty atmosphere or a draughty situation, as such conditions will often cause the flower buds to shrivel up. Barr's Mixture of Cocoa Fibre and Charcoal is an excellent material for growing Hyacinths in, and is clean and inoffensive for handling (see page 60 for directions).

CULTURE IN JARDINETTS.—For this purpose Barr's Mixture of Cocoa Fibre and Charcoal is undoubtedly the best material to use. It should be always kept moist, and when the jardinet is removed to the sitting-room the surface should be covered with fresh green carpet moss. Grown in jardinetts, Hyacinths are charming when associated with early Spring-flowering bulbs like *Chionodoxas*, *Scilla sibirica*, *Snowdrops*, *Tulips*, *Crocuses*, *Narcissi*, *Iris reticulata*, &c.

BARR'S NEW 'PRIZE-WINNING' EXHIBITION HYACINTHS.

A very careful selection of a few of the finest Hyacinths for Exhibitors.

We have selected these varieties specially out of many hundreds, as being specially suitable for exhibition on account of their grand spikes of fine form, their large bells and beautiful colours. Several of them will be little known to the public, being new varieties and great advances on existing sorts. We simply give the colours, as they are all of highest excellence in form and size. Most of them have been awarded prizes and certificates of merit.

THE RICHER AND DEEPER SHADES OF RED, SUCH AS DEEP-ROSE, CRIMSON, SCARLET, &c.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Amy , vivid crimson-scarlet, fine truss	0 5	King of the Reds , rich brilliant red, with white eye, large handsome spike	2 0
Countess of Rosebery , dark red, large handsome truss	0 8	Koh-i-noor , <i>semi-double</i> , bright salmon-pink, large truss, model form	1 3
Etna , brilliant deep rose, striped white, large broad truss	1 3	Lord Macaulay , carmine, changing to vivid crimson-scarlet, large truss	0 6
Garibaldi , rich crimson, large splendid truss, <i>early</i>	0 10	Mr. Robert Steiger , rich rose-carmine, large compact truss	0 5
General Pélissier , intense deep crimson, large truss	0 4	Mrs. Beecher Stowe , rich rosy red, large splendid truss	0 6
Gertrude , rose-carmine, fine compact truss	0 5	Princess Louise , <i>double</i> , fine deep rose, large compact truss	0 6
Glow , deep rose, shaded buff, fine large spike, <i>an attractive colour</i>	1 0	Queen of Hyacinths , brilliant carmine-rose, fine spike	0 5
King of Scarlets (new) , rich dark crimson-scarlet, compact truss, intense glowing colour	2 6	Tollens , bright rose-carmine, fine truss ...	0 3
King of the Belgians , brilliant deep crimson-scarlet, fine bold spike	0 8	Von Schiller , salmon-pink, large truss...	0 6
		Vuurbaak , handsome deep glowing crimson-scarlet, fine large compact truss	1 3

THE MORE DELICATE AND SOFTER SHADES OF BLUE, SUCH AS AZURE, PEARL-BLUE, &c.

Bloksberg , <i>double</i> , beautiful clear azure-blue, large bells, good truss.....	0 6	Grand Lilas , silvery lilac, large truss ...	0 8
Blondin , rich azure-blue, bottom of tube bluish purple, large truss	0 6	Leonidas , rich blue, large bells and truss	0 5
Count Andrassy , bright light blue, large bells, fine compact truss	0 9	Lord Byron , light blue, large bells and truss	0 9
Couronne de Celle , beautiful azure-blue, large bells, large truss	0 6	Lord Derby , pearl-blue, very large handsome truss	0 9
Czar Peter , beautiful clear blue, large bells, large handsome perfect truss	0 9	Pieneman , fine rich light blue, very large bells, and large truss.....	0 5
Forget-me-Not , pretty light blue, fine truss.....	1 0	Queen of the Blues , beautiful azure-blue, large bells, large handsome truss; a most lovely hyacinth, but it should not be forced	0 9
		Regulus , rich porcelain-blue, fine truss ...	0 5

THE DARKER AND RICHER SHADES OF BLUE, SUCH AS DARK PORCELAIN, PURPLE, BLUE, VIOLET, BLACK, &c.

Baron Van Tuyll , purple, large truss	0 5	King of the Blues , rich dark blue, large bells, magnificent compact truss	0 7
Charles Dickens , single, dark porcelain, shaded lilac, large truss	0 5	Marie , purple-blue, immense spike	0 4
Charles Dickens , <i>double</i> , dark porcelain, shaded lilac, fine truss	0 5	Masterpiece , fine violet-black, handsome compact truss of perfect form	1 3
Duke of Connaught , dark blue, large truss.....	1 30	Prince of Wales , dark blue, white eye, large truss	0 9
General Havelock , rich glittering purple, very large truss	0 8	The Sultan , rich dark violet-purple, large broad handsome truss	1 3
Grand Maitre , deep porcelain-blue, very large handsome truss.....	0 6	William the First , fine blackish-purple, large truss, <i>early</i>	0 5
King of Blacks , blackish violet-purple, large well-formed truss, <i>very handsome</i> ...	1 0	William III. , rich dark purple, large bells, large truss.....	0 6

CLARET-COLOUR AND CLARET-CRIMSON.

Claret Cup , rich claret with blackish stripe, well-formed truss	1 3	L'Espérance , brilliant bright claret-crimson, compact truss, <i>a very attractive colour</i>	0 10
Distinction , maroon-crimson, shaded black, handsome	1 6	Peter Barr , claret, with white eye, fine handsome truss	1 0
Harlequin , crimson-claret, white centre, handsome truss	0 10		

PURE WHITE.

Albus Maximus , large full truss	0 8	Mont Blanc , large bells, fine large handsome truss	0 9
Baroness Van Tuyll , long handsome truss.....	0 4	Prince of Waterloo , <i>double</i> , compact truss.....	0 6
Grand Vainqueur , large bells, fine truss	0 8	Snowball , fine truss, of beautiful symmetrical form, bells of great substance ...	0 10
La Grandesse , largest and handsomest truss	0 8	Snow King , large bells of great substance, handsome large truss	1 6
La Tour d'Auvergne , <i>double</i> , large bells, large handsome truss, <i>early</i>	0 6	White Queen , one of the finest of <i>double</i> white hyacinths, large bells, and large handsome truss	1 6
L'Innocence , large bells, large handsome broad truss	0 9		
Madame Van der Hoop , with faint blush tinge, but almost pure white, large bells, large compact truss	0 6		

WHITE SHADED ROSE, BLUSH, WAXY WHITE, &c.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Anna Maria , <i>double</i> , blush, violet centre, very pretty	0 6	La Franchise , waxy white, very fine bells, good truss	0 5
Grandeur à Merveille , white, shaded rose, immense compact truss	0 5	La Virginité , <i>double</i> , blush-white, very large bells	0 4
Lady of the Lake , <i>semi-double</i> , blush- white, large bells, fine handsome truss ...	1 3	Voltaire , white, shaded rose, large bells...	0 4

YELLOW, CITRON, PRIMROSE, SALMON, &c.

Bird of Paradise , bright yellow, fine truss	0 9	Obélisque , pure yellow, large truss	0 10
Citronnière , citron-yellow, fine truss ...	0 8	Primrose Perfection , deep yellow, large bells, long pyramidal truss	1 3
Ida , rich primrose, large truss	0 8	Queen of Yellows , clear yellow, fine compact truss	1 3
King of Yellows , rich deep yellow, large handsome truss, <i>late-flowering</i>	1 0	Sonora , rosy salmon, good compact truss...	0 6
Le Chamois , beautiful pale chamois, large bells and truss	0 10	Van Yondel , beautiful soft chrome-yellow, large handsome truss	0 10

BARR'S 'EXTRA SELECTED' HYACINTHS for BEDDING.

The following Hyacinths are of an extra selected quality and far superior to what are commonly sold as 'Bedding Hyacinths' at lower prices. The varieties selected are those having large erect well-formed spikes of uniform height and rich brilliant colours, and only differ from the named Exhibition Hyacinths in the bulbs being a shade smaller in size. They may also be used with advantage for filling flower boxes, rustic baskets and vases, &c. As some varieties open a little earlier than others, we have put them into two sections—(1) Those which commence to flower first and about the same time, and (2) those which come to perfection a little later, and bloom about the same time. We trust this arrangement will be of assistance to purchasers in making their selection.

SECTION 1.—Varieties coming first to perfection, and which may be bedded together.

	per 100 per doz.		per 100 per doz.
Barr's Early Blush-Rose	25/- ... 3/6	Barr's Early Dark Violet- Blue	25/- ... 3/6
Barr's Early Rich Deep Rose	25/- ... 3/6	Barr's Early Pure-White ...	25/- ... 3/6
Barr's Early Pale Azure-Blue	25/- ... 3/6	Barr's Early Blush	25/- ... 3/6
Barr's Early Bright Blue	25/- ... 3/6		
12 bulbs of each of the above named 7 varieties, 21/-			
50 " " " " " " 7 " £4.			

SECTION 2.—Varieties coming to perfection a little later than those in Section 1, and which may be used for bedding together.

	per 100 per doz.		per 100 per doz.
Barr's Bright Rose	25/- ... 3/6	Barr's Rich Dark Violet-Blue	25/- ... 3/6
Barr's Brilliant Deep Rose ...	25/- ... 3/6	Barr's Pure White	25/- ... 3/6
Barr's Rich Deep Crimson ...	25/- ... 3/6	Barr's Blush-White	25/- ... 3/6
Barr's Pale Azure-Blue	25/- ... 3/6	Barr's Blush	25/- ... 3/6
12 bulbs of each of the above named 8 varieties, 24/-			
50 " " " " " " 8 " £4 10s.			

BEDDING HYACINTHS OF ORDINARY SIZE.

We can supply these in separate colours at 19/6 per 100; per doz. 2/9.

BARR'S BEAUTIFUL 'RAINBOW' MIXTURES OF HYACINTHS,

FOR FILLING BEDS AND PLANTING IN BORDERS, &c.

'Barr's Beautiful "Rainbow" Mixture of Hyacinths.' These are grown specially for us on one of the large Hyacinth Farms in Holland, and are unsurpassed for quality. Every Spring brings us numerous letters expressing satisfaction with the grand effect produced by these hyacinths. The colours are evenly blended, including *red, scarlet, purple, lavender, porcelain, azure-blue, white, rose, blush, &c.*, producing a magnificent effect in flower beds and borders. Purchasers cannot fail to be pleased with them.

Extra strong-flowering bulbs, per 100, 18/6; per doz. 2 6
Barr's Beautiful 'Rainbow' Mixture of Hyacinths, for mixed borders, shrubberies,
 and naturalisation Good flowering bulbs, per 100, 13/6; per doz. 2 0

BARR'S MINIATURE HYACINTHS for Children's Gardens, &c.

In *children's gardens* and small flower-beds, or as front edgings and ribbons, these **Miniature Hyacinths**, alone or intermingled with other dwarf Spring-flowering bulbs, make a fine display throughout the Spring months.

They are also valuable for growing in small glasses, fancy pots, old china bowls, crystal dishes, jardinetts, &c., alone or associated with *Scilla sibirica*, *Chionodoxas*, *Crocuses*, *Snowdrops*, *Dwarf Tulips*, and *Daffodils*, *Iris reticulata*, &c.

Barr's Special Mixture of beautiful colours...per 1000, 85/-; per 100, 9/6; per doz. 1/3.

EARLY DWARF ROMAN HYACINTHS. FOR FORCING.

These may be forced into bloom by November, or may be brought into bloom for Christmas decoration. The elegant little flower spikes are greatly prized for bouquets, while the individual flowers are of great value for buttonholes. (*For Cultural Directions see page 1.*)

Roman Hyacinth, Early Dwarf White, Sweet-Scented.

per doz. - s. d.

Extra Strong Selected Bulbs, per 100, 16/6	2	3
Strong Selected Bulbs	12/6	1 9
A Few Very Large Bulbs	21/-	3 0

Smaller sized bulbs at lower prices we do not stock, but can procure them for customers if required.

Roman Hyacinth, Early Blush. This beautiful variety flowers a little later than the

White Roman Hyacinthper 100, 12/6 1 9

Roman Hyacinth, Early Blue, flowers from a fortnight to three weeks later than the

White Roman Hyacinthper 100, 10/6 1 6

Beautiful Straw-coloured Early Hyacinth, of a charming pale chrome-yellow shade, flowering just after the White Roman Hyacinthper 100, 24/- 3 6

New Extra Early Hyacinth, 'Harbinger,' flowering before any of the Roman Hyacinths and producing numerous long graceful spikes of dainty little azure-coloured flowers, very attractiveper 100, 24/- 3 6

HYACINTHUS

amethystinus, an elegant Alpine Hyacinth of the most beautiful amethyst blue; charming in pots, and crumps in flower borders, or as edgings; quite hardy, ht. $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per 100, 6/6 1 0

azureus. See *Muscari*, page 41. | **candicans.** See *Galtonia*, page 22.

***HYMENOCALLIS** (*syn. Pancratium* or *Ismene*), lovely bulbous plants for greenhouse or outdoors, planted close to a south wall, nine inches deep; the flowers are of great beauty. each - s. d.

amaneas, the golden-yellow Peruvian Daffodil, a rare species, ht. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. 5 6

calathinum, the pearly sweet-smelling White Sea Daffodil, ht. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per doz. 6/6 0 8

*IMANTOPHYLLUM

miniatum, orange-crimson flowers, in clusters, ht. 2 ft. } Handsome bulbous plants for | 4 6

cyrtanthiflorum, orange-coloured flowers, in clusters, } stove or warm greenhouse | 3 6


IRIS

Irises may be called 'Orchids' of the flower garden, their blossoms competing in richness and variety of colour with the choicest and the most beautiful Orchids. They should be extensively planted in flower and shrubbery borders, and naturalised; a judicious selection will give a display of bloom from Christmas to August. See our *Hardy Plant Catalogue* for all kinds of Flag Irises.

BARR'S June-flowering ENGLISH IRIS.

(THE LARGE-FLOWERED BULBOUS IRIS OF THE PYRENEES.)


These magnificent Irises thrive in any ordinary garden soil; when the soil is very heavy, surround the bulbs with sand, and see well to drainage. The earlier the planting, after beginning of September, the greater the success, although the bulbs may be put in as late as December. The varieties contained in our collection we have specially selected as being the finest and most distinct, and they will be found as *strikingly beautiful and varied in colour as the most sumptuous Orchids of the hothouse*. They flower in June, thus succeeding the Bearded Flag Irises. As cut flowers they take a first place.

 Our Annual Exhibits of cut flowers of these grand Irises at the London Summer Shows and at King Street, Covent Garden, attract much attention and elicit great admiration.

Barr and Sons' Selections of Beautiful English Irises.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
100 in 20 magnificent varieties	12	6	Barr's Choice Mixed lovely varieties, producing a fine effect in beds & borders...p. 1000, 50/-; p. 100, 5/6; p. doz.	0	10
50 in 20	6	6			
20 in 20	3	0			

Named Varieties in Mixture, from the following named sorts, per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1 6

 S. is used to signify Standards, or the erect petals; F. Falls, or the drooping petals.

	per doz.	s.	d.	each.
Blanche Fleur , S. white, with rosy tinge, F. white.....	2	3	0	3
Emma , S. soft French grey, faintly flaked blue, F. French grey, shaded white, faintly spotted blue, beautiful	4	6	0	5
Graaf Bentink , S. crimson-magenta, flaked white, F. white, spotted crimson, handsome	2	3	0	3
Grande Céleste , S. light blue, F. bright blue, very large	3	6	0	4
Hypocrates , S. soft mauve, flaked purple, F. mauve, tinged blue and slightly mottled	2	3	0	3
King of the Blues , S. violet and black, F. rich blue, spotted dark violet, p. 100, 17/6	2	6	0	3
La Charmante , S. deep lavender-blue, F. white, margined light lavender, beautiful.....	2	6	0	3
Mountain of Snow , S. and F. white, very large	3	6	0	4

BARR'S June-flowering ENGLISH IRIS—*continued.*

		per doz.	each
		s. d.	s. d.
Mont Blanc , S. and F. pure white, very handsome	per 100, 17/6	2	6...0 3
Ruby , S. ruby-purple, shaded black, F. velvety crimson-purple, with darker markings	per 100, 12/6	2	0...0 3
Simon , S. pale lavender, feathered purple, F. delicate lavender, slightly spotted violet	per 100, 15/-	2	3...0 3
Yainqueur , S. deep lavender, feathered violet, F. delicate lavender, slightly spotted violet	per 100, 12/6	2	0...0 3

BARR'S June-flowering SPANISH IRIS.

(THE ORCHID-LIKE BULBOUS IRIS OF SPAIN.)

(See Illustration on page 14.)

The Spanish Irises flower a fortnight before the English, and differ from them considerably, the colours of the flowers being showier and more varied. The curious and charming blendings of shades in the same flower give them the appearance of many of our rare orchids, with which they can well compete in grace and beauty. For vases and bouquets the cut flowers are greatly prized, as they last long when cut, and the buds open well in water. For filling flower beds and massing in borders these elegant Irises are of the greatest value. They will also bear very gentle forcing in pots. The varieties contained in our collection are the *finest and most distinct in cultivation*. The cultural treatment is the same as for the English Iris, while they will thrive either in an open or partially shaded situation.

Our Annual Exhibits of cut blooms of these beautiful Irises form a great feature of attraction.

Barr and Sons' Selections of Beautiful Spanish Irises.

	s. d.	s. d.
100 in 25 magnificent varieties	6 6	50 in 25 magnificent varieties ... 3 6
Barr's extra choice Mixture , made up by us specially from beautiful named varieties, and superior to ordinary mixtures; we can strongly recommend these for filling beds, massing in borders, and where quantities of cut flowers are required		
	per 1000, 21/-	per 100, 2/6
The Great Bronze or Thunderbolt Iris , Standards broad, and of a rich bronzy purple, Falls chestnut-brown, with large striking orange blotch; a large handsome and noble flower		
	per 100, 10/6	per doz. 1/6
S. is used to signify Standards, or the erect petals; F. Falls, or the drooping petals.		
Avalanche , S. china-white, F. snowy white, with large golden blotch, tall and beautiful	per 1000, 35/-	p. 100 p. doz. s. d. s. d. 4 6...0 8
Blue Beauty , S. violet, F. azure-blue, with yellow eye, a beautiful early variety	per 1000, 35/-	4 6...0 8
California , S. full yellow, F. deep golden-yellow, with orange blotch, large flower	per 1000, 35/-	4 6...0 8
Cantab , S. rich dark azure, F. Cambridge-blue, with orange blotch, beautiful	per 1000, 42/-	5 6...0 10
Carmen , S. rosy purple, F. yellow, with orange blotch, large and very striking	per 1000, 35/-	4 6...0 8
Catherina , S. sapphire-blue, shading to white, F. white and orange	55/-	6 6...1 0
Chrysolora , S. & F. clear bright yellow	35/-	4 6...0 8
Golden King , S. deep golden-yellow, F. brilliant glowing deep orange, large and handsome		8 6...1 3
Laara , S. violet, F. violet, with orange blotch, early		6 6...1 0
Lemon Queen , S. and F. beautiful soft lemon, early	per 1000, 35/-	4 6...0 8
Princess Ida , a most lovely variety, with white standards, and falls of a delicate primrose with orange blotch, flowers large and with long stems, valuable for cutting	per 1000, 30/-	4 0...0 8
Snowball , S. pure white, shaded sapphire at base, F. white, with conspicuous golden blotch	per 1000, 35/-	4 6...0 8
Snow Queen , snow-white, F. snowy white, with golden blotch, and very beautiful, rather dwarf	per 1000, 30/-	4 0...0 8
Sunset , S. pale lavender, F. yellow, with orange blotch, large flower	42/-	5 0...0 10
The Moor , S. rich chestnut-purple, F. rich golden-brown and orange		9 6...1 6

IRIS, Various Beautiful Bulbous and Tuberous-Rooted Species.

These Iris Species are all hardy and beautiful, flowering one after the other from November to June. The dwarf early species will be more enjoyed if planted on rockwork, where the flowers could be a little protected from heavy rains. *Alata*, *Reticulata* var. *Histrio* and *Histrioides*, *Vartani*, and *Ungicularis* (*Stylosa*) vars., are charming winter-flowering species, followed in February by *I. reticulata*, with its lovely violet-scented blossoms, the sweet-scented *I. persica*, the beautiful and lately introduced species *I. rosenbachiana*, *Bakeriana*, and *Danfordiae*. Next in succession come the interesting *Caucasica*, *Orchioides*, the curious Snakeshead Iris *tuberosa*, and the new species *I. Sindjarensis* and *assyriaca*. These are followed closely by *Susiana*, *Iberica*, &c., with their

large handsome beautifully-netted flowers; along with these, *I. Atrofusca*, *A. atropurpurea*, *Bismarckiana*, *Gatesii*, *Lorteti*, *Lupina*, and *Helena*, surpass in beauty and interest any written description that can be given of them. The charming dwarf Iris *flavissima Bloudovii*, the pretty Peacock Iris (*I. pavonia*), and the beautiful Iris *cristata* flower in May, and are followed in June by the *Iris juncea*, *Boissieri*, *lusitanica*, and *tingitana*.

Culture of the Oncocyclus and Regelia Irises marked † in the following list. Plant the roots in November (the tops not more than two inches below the surface) in a light rich well drained soil, and cover with three or four inches of wheat straw or, better still, marsh reeds, or eut heather, which remove in March. Immediately these Irises have done flowering place over the plants a light, or panes of glass elevated eighteen inches above the ground, so as to admit at the sides a free entry of air, and at the same time to keep off rain till October. The object desired is to thoroughly ripen the roots, and prevent their starting into growth before Spring. The covering in Winter is to keep off heavy rains, and discourage a premature growth. Or the roots may be lifted soon after they have done flowering, and stored on a dry sunny shelf or in perfectly dry sand till end of October or early November, when replant. *The great beauty of these Irises, especially when seen in established masses, will fully repay the special treatment they require.*

A beautiful Coloured Plate of Oncocyclus Irises, Gatesii, Lorteti, and Lupina, 6d.
Another Coloured Plate of Irises, Atrofusca, Bismarckiana, Atropurpurea, and Helena (Marica), 6d.

	each—s.	d.
Alata (Scorpion Iris) , pale blue of similar shape to <i>I. reticulata</i> , winter-flowering, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	for sunny sheltered positions.	per doz. 3/6 0 4
„ alba , a most lovely variety, flowers white, shaded pale pearly blue to snow-white, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. ....		..... 1 6
„ Leichtlini , flowers beautiful large deep blue, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. ....		..... 3 6
Assyriaca (new) , a beautiful species, with large white flowers, resembling in form <i>I. Sindjarensis</i>.....		..... 2 6
† Atrofusca , a handsome Iris, S. large claret-brown, veined black, F. brown-black, 3 ft. ...		1 0
† Atropurpurea , beautiful velvety coppery maroon, with black sheen, 1 ft.		per doz. 5/6 0 6
Bakeriana , a lovely species, similar in form to <i>I. reticulata</i> , S. sky-blue, F. white, blotched and spotted dark violet, sweet-scented, flowers before the <i>Iris reticulata</i> varieties (In bloom at our Nurseries, out of doors, 1st February, 1898), $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		1 3
† Bismarckiana (syn. Sari nazarena) , <i>new</i> , flowers large and beautiful, S. sky-blue, veined purple, F. veined reddish brown-purple on a straw-coloured ground, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft., of easy cultivation		per doz. 5/6 0 6
Boissieri , S. and F. rich purple, blotch golden-yellow, June-flowering, 9 in. ...		10/6 1 0
Caucasica , primrose-coloured flowers, with silver-margined foliage, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		7/6 0 8
Cristata , a real gem, flowers amethyst-blue, striped orange and gracefully fringed, in May; charming for sunny sheltered banks, rockwork, &c., where it can be moderately dry in winter, 3 in.		per doz. 2/6 0 3
Danfordiae , a lovely dwarf species, flowers bright golden-yellow, spotted brown, flowering in February, and delighting in dry nooks on rockwork, 3 in.		1 0
Fimbriata , beautiful sky-blue flowers in winter. This lovely Iris is exquisitely beautiful in the conservatory, but is only hardy outdoors in hot sunny sheltered positions.		0 9
† Flavissima Bloudovii , a pretty species with attractive soft yellow flowers in May, 9 to 12 in.		1 3
† Gatesii , a hardy robust species of the <i>Susiana</i> type, but with larger flowers, of a beautiful satiny creamy white, tinged rose, delicately veined and minutely spotted silvery grey, June-flowering, ht. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. We were awarded for this beautiful Iris a Certificate of Merit by the Royal Botanic Society		per doz. 18/- 1 9
Grant Duffi , a new species from Palestine, with sulphur-yellow flowers and blue-green foliage; may be treated like the Tall Flag Irises		per doz. 7/6 0 8
† Helena (syn. I. Mariæ) , a lovely Iris with large handsome flowers, S. bright lilac, F. purple, veined black and with velvety black blotch, 1st Class Certificate Royal Botanic Society		per doz. 7/6 0 8
† Iberica , a dwarf species of great beauty, with large handsome flowers, S. satiny white, veined dark purple, F. rich brown-purple, with black blotch, ht. 6 in.		per doz. 5/6 0 6
Juncea , S. and F. brilliant golden-yellow, one of the most beautiful and showy of bulbous Irises; to cut for vases invaluable, ht. 15 in. It prefers a rather dry and warm light soil		per doz. 2/6 0 3
„ pallida (new) , very distinct and beautiful, flowers large and of a lovely soft canary-yellow shade, ht. 15 in. Award of Merit R.H.S. 1898.		per doz. 10/6 1 0
† Leichtlini , large handsome flowers, bronzy brown, shading to lilac, ht. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		2 6
† Lorteti , a great beauty, resembling <i>I. Gatesii</i> , but with rose-coloured markings, May-flowering, ht. 1 ft.		1 0
† Lupina (The Wolf's Fur Iris) , a remarkably striking new species, with curious greenish yellow flowers, veined brownish red, and with a heavy beard, resembling a wolf's fur, ht. $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		per doz. 7/6 0 8

IRIS, Various Beautiful Bulbous and Tuberous-Rooted Species—continued.

Lusitanica (true), S. yellow, F. rich yellow, with orange blotch, handsome, ht. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. each—s. d.
per doz. 5/6 0 6

Orchioides. This species resembles *I. caucasica*, but has larger flowers of a bright golden-yellow colour, produced in the axils of the leaves, April-flowering, ht. 1 ft. 4 6

Pavonia major (*Yieusseuxia*, or *Moræa*), the **Peacock Iris**, flowers pure white, petals blotched clear celestial blue, a gem for pots or select places out of doors, ht. 1 ft.
per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/- ...

Persica, white suffused pale blue, the petals blotched purple and gold, very fragrant, ht. $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.

This Iris delights in a warm, light, dry soilper 100, 8/6; per doz. 1/3 0 2

Reticulata, very beautiful, brilliant deep violet, blotched golden-yellow, strongly violet-scented, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft. Figured in *The Garden*, 1881...p. 100, 40/-;
p. doz. 5/6 & 7/6; 6d. & 0 8

„ **var. Histroio**, a charming variety from Palestine, flowers bright blue, blotched golden-yellow, earlier than *I. reticulata*, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. p. doz. 6/6 0 7

„ **var. Histroioides**, flowers beautiful azure, earlier and larger than *I. reticulata*, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft. **First Class Certificate R.H.S.**...p. doz. 6/6 0 7

„ **major**, a very handsome large form, with broader falls and standards than the type 2 6

„ **Krelagei**, claret-purple, blotched golden-yellow, violet-scented, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.
per doz. 4/6 0 5

Rosenbachiana, beautiful sweet-scented flowers, generally white and rosy violet, but variable, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. **First Class Certificate R.H.S.**, 1889 3 6

Sindjarensis, a charming new species from Mesopotamia, like *I. caucasica* in growth; flowers white and azure-blue, prettily crested, March-flowering, 1 ft. 1 0

Sisyrinchium, an interesting little May-flowering species, with small soft lavender flowers, the falls blotched white, ht. $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. *Requires a warm sunny situation*.....per doz. 2/6 0 3

Stylosa. See **Ungicularis** (the correct name).

Susiana, a remarkably handsome species with immense flowers, blush, tinted brown, and covered with a network of dark lines, May-flowering, ht. 1 ft. ...per 100, 50/-; per doz. 7/6 0 8

Tingitana, a lovely bulbous Iris from Tangiers, thriving in a warm sunny situation, such as the foot of a south wall. The flowers vary in the Standards from dark to light blue. Falls lilac and white with golden blotch, May- to June-flowering, ht. 2 ft....per 100, 40/-; per doz. 5/6 0 6
(*Beautiful Coloured Plate of Iris Tingitana*, price 6d.)

Tuberosa (**Snakeshead Iris**), flowers rich velvety violet-black and green, ht. $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.
per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 0 2

Ungicularis (*syn. Stylosa*), S. and F. beautiful light blue, ht. 1 ft. If grown in a warm dry situation will yield abundance of charming flowers throughout winter...per doz. 5 6 0 6

„ **alba**, a most lovely Iris, flowers ivory-white, ht. 1 ft. 1 6

„ **speciosa**, flowers rich deep blue, netted white, ht. 1 ft. 1 6

Vartani, a pretty little species found near Nazareth, flowers azure-blue, in Nov. or Dec. ht. $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. 0 8

For Beautiful Flag Irises, Tall Bearded. Dwarf. and Japanese, &c.,

see our Plant Catalogue.

ISMENE CALATHINUM. See **Hymenocallis.**

IXIA.—The **African Corn Lily**, a graceful slender growing plant, with long loose spikes of bloom. The colours are rich, varied, and beautiful, the centre always differing in colour from the other parts of the flower, so that the blossoms expanding in the sun's rays present a picture of gorgeous beauty.

CULTURE IN POTS.—From October to January plant five or six bulbs in a four- or five-inch pot, using a compost of turfy loam, leaf soil, and silver sand. Make the soil firm about the bulbs, then plunge the pots in ashes in a cold pit or frame, and withhold water till the plants appear, and at first give sparingly. When the plants are in growth, the lights should be left off except during wet or frosty weather. Early in February, or when the plants have made sufficient growth, remove them to the greenhouse, keep close to the glass, and carefully attend to the watering.

CULTURE OUTDOORS.—Plant from November to January, at a depth of three inches, and the bulbs two inches apart, on raised beds, in a prepared light loamy soil, in a sunny situation, protected if possible from cold east and northerly winds. When planting cover the bulbs with coarse sand. A covering of straw, litter, heather, or other light material will protect the early top growth from frosty winds, but it should be removed in March. The gorgeous beauty of these flowers amply rewards the little extra care they require to ensure success.



IRIS RETICULATA.

BARR'S SELECTIONS OF NAMED IXIAS.

6 each of 20 splendid varieties ...	s. d. 17 6	3 each of 12 splendid varieties 4/6 & 6 6	s. d. 2 6
3 each of 20 " ...	9 6	1 each of 12 " ...	2 6

Barr's 'Rainbow' Mixture of Ixias in great variety of gorgeous colours, for filling beds and massing in sunny bordersper 1000, 25/-; per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d. ...

☞ The following varieties of Ixias are the most distinct and beautiful in cultivation.

	per doz.—s. d.		per doz.—s. d.
Azurea , azure-blue, violet centre.....	3 6	Humbert , very large, coppery rose, black centre, beautiful and distinct	2 6
Beauty of Norfolk , canary, centre black	1 6	La Favorite , primrose, crimson centre...	1 3
Bucephalus , rich claret-colour, beautiful	1 0	Lady Slade , beautiful rose-pink, carmine centre	1 3
Conqueror , yellow, shaded red	1 0	Longiflora . See Morphixia , page 41.	
Crateroides , rich cerise-scarlet, early, and greatly valued for cutting per 100, 4/6	0 8	Magnifica , handsome, rich deep yellow, chocolate centre.....	1 6
Donnatello (new), large, flowers brick-scarlet, brown centre, a most lovely colour	2 6	Magnum bonum , large, white with blue centre	1 3
Elvira , French grey, violet centre	2 6	Nitens , intense deep magenta, handsome .	1 6
Emperor of China , rich yellow, centre black, a grand handsome variety.....	3 6	Proestans , ruby-crimson, beautiful	1 6
Erubescens major , deep rose-carmine, black centre, beautiful	1 6	Queen of Roses , beautiful bright rose, large double flowers	3 6
Excelsior (new), large, handsome crimson scarlet	1 3	Viridiflora , sea-green, black centre, distinct and beautiful	5 6
Golden Drop , golden-yellow, dark centre	1 0	Vulcan , orange-red, black centre.....	1 6
		White Queen , the largest pure white Ixia, with velvety crimson centre.....	2 6

As beautiful companion plants to the *Ixia*, we recommend the **Morphixia**, **Sparaxis**, **Tritonia**, and **Babiana**. These all require the same treatment as the *Ixia*. each s. d.

IXIOLIRION, a beautiful and elegant family of hardy bulbous plants, thriving in a good light soil and an open dry sunny situation.

Sintenisi (new), large heads of lovely rich deep blue, ht. 1½ ft.	2 6
tataricum (Pallasi), beautiful deep blue tubular flowers in handsome heads, ht. 1½ ft.	per 100, 12/6; per doz. 2/- 0 3
macranthum , heads of very large handsome bright deep blue flowers, ht. 1½ ft.	2 6

JONQUILS, SWEET-SCENTED.

The Double and Single Jonquils are prized for their graceful sweet-scented flowers in or out of doors. For indoor decoration three to six bulbs should be grown in a 4- or 5-inch pot, and cultivated the same as the Hyacinth in all respects, whether for early flowering or succession. If planted outdoors and treated the same as Daffodils, a long succession of these deliciously scented flowers for indoor decoration may be maintained.

	per doz.—s. d.		per doz.—s. d.
Single Jonquil , rich full yellow		Double Jonquil , flowers of a rich full yellow, small, very elegant, and delightfully fragrant	per 100, 15/- 2 3
per 1000, 21/-; per 100, 2/6	0 3		
" " extra large bulbs			
per 100, 4/-	0 8		

For *Campernelle Jonquil* and *Queen Anne's Double Jonquil*, see our *Daffodil Catalogue*, page 21.

LACHENALIA, very beautiful greenhouse plants flowering in early Spring, with curiously spotted leaves and handsome flower spikes. They should be potted as early as possible in Autumn in a compost of loam, sweet leaf soil, sand, and well decayed cow manure; place in an airy greenhouse or frame, near the glass, and never allow them to suffer for want of water while in growth. The temperature in winter should not be below 45°. each—s. d.

Cam , flowers deepest golden, with red shading, stem red, a vigorous grower ...per doz.	10 6	1 0
fragrans , white sweet-smelling flowers, 1 ft.	7/6	0 8
glaucina , spikes of pretty metallic-blue flowers, handsome foliage, very striking, ½ ft. Figured <i>Bot. Mag.</i> , Vol. 64, Tab. 3552.	per doz. 6/6	0 8
Nelsoni (1st Class Cert. R.H.S.), large rich deep golden-yellow flowers, most beautiful and very free-flowering, 1 ft.	per doz. 9/-	0 10
pendula , large brilliant red flowers, tipped green and purple; a grand handsome showy flower, ¾ ft.	per doz. 5 6	0 6
quadricolor , true, scarlet, yellow, and green, with broad crimson tip, an exceedingly beautiful flower, 1 ft.	per doz. 7/6	0 8
tricolor , flowers scarlet, yellow, and green, a very free and showy variety, 1 ft.	per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6	0 2

Other varieties—**aurea**, each 9d.; **luteola**, each 6d.; **pallida**, each 9d.

☞ For New *Lachenalias* of great beauty, see *Novelty List*, page 5.

LEUCOJUM (Snowflake), Spring, Summer, and Autumn-Flowering.

Leucojum vernum, the **Spring Snowflake**, is one of our earliest and most beautiful Spring flowers, the blossoms of which, resembling a large Snowdrop, are handsome in outline and elegant in bouquets. *L. aestivum* and *Hernandezii*, the **Summer Snowflakes**, flower in April and May, and are remarkable for their elegant blossoms. *L. autumnale* is a charming white, pink-tipped Fairy-like Snowflake, blooming in August and September; it is best planted in pure sand. *L. trichophyllum* resembles *Autumnale* in its graceful flowers, but blooms in Spring; plant in pure sand, and give cold frame treatment, keeping it well moist while in growth. Mr. William Robinson, in his paper at the Conference on Hardy Flowers, remarked:—'The early-flowering *Leucojum* (*L. vernum*) is a more precious flower for gathering than the Snowdrop, and the late-flowering *Leucojum* is graceful and handsome in grass.' They all delight in shady situations.

	each—s. d.	
autumnale (Acis), white and pink flowers in Autumn, graceful in pots and on rockwork, &c., $\frac{1}{3}$ ft.; grow in pure sand in shade; quite hardy	per 100, 15/-; per doz. 2/3	o 3
trichophyllum (Acis), pure white, a rare and beautiful Spring-flowering species; grow in moist sand, give cold frame or cool greenhouse treatment.....	per doz. 3/6	o 4
aestivum , a handsome plant, bearing spikes of elegant drooping white flowers in May, which are greatly prized for cutting, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.....	per 1000, 45/-; per 100, 5/-; per doz. 9d.	...
Smaller Bulbs, for naturalisation	per 1000, 30/-; per 100, 3/6	...
Hernandezii (<i>syn.</i> pulchellum), elegant drooping white flowers in May, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. per doz. 2/6		o 3
vernum , the Spring Snowflake , a favourite little flower, prized for its pretty white bell-shaped flowers in early Spring; valuable for edgings, masses, foot of rockwork, and for naturalising in grass, &c.....	per 1000, 40/-; per 100, 4/6; per doz. 8d.	...
" carpathicum , a handsome variety, making a stronger and more robust growth than the typical <i>L. vernum</i>	per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/-	...

BARR'S BEAUTIFUL HARDY LILIES.

FOR PLANTING IN BEDS, BORDERS, AND FOR GREENHOUSE DECORATION.

THE LILY, for variety of colour, chasteness, and beauty of form, is matchless amongst hardy plants. The flowering commences in May, and a continuous unbroken succession of bloom, from species of different countries, is maintained till the frosts of Autumn destroy the last unexpanded flower buds.

CULTURE OUT-OF-DOORS.—In choosing a situation for planting, *perfect drainage*, natural or artificial, should be the first consideration. The borders of Rhododendron and Azalea beds, and such-like positions, are generally suitable for Lily culture, as the necessary compost for the particular species can easily be given, and the shelter from the surrounding branches is beneficial in protecting the plants from cold winds in Spring, and also affording a partial shelter from the sun's rays in Summer. Sheltered spots in mixed herbaceous and shrubby borders will also do. In preparing the ground, loosen the soil to a depth of several feet, and add fresh loam, coarse sand, and *sweet* decomposed leaf soil, or good peat, care being taken that the *soils are as free as possible from insect life*, and the compost sufficiently friable. Plant the bulbs 4 to 6 inches deep (except where otherwise stated), and they may then remain undisturbed for many years. The bog or swamp-loving Lilies **Superbum**, and the varieties of **Canadense** and **Pardalinum**, require a moist but sweet soil and rather shady situation; they are admirably adapted for growing amongst Rhododendrons and Azaleas in moist situations, and for the sides of brooks, ponds, rivulets, &c.

All *Liliums* are shade-loving plants; their favourite aspect is a north-westerly one.

CULTURE INDOORS.—THE LILY being a free rooter requires plenty of pot-room, therefore use in most cases a 6- or 8-inch pot for one bulb, according to its size; a compost of fibrous loam and sweet decomposed leaf soil, with plenty of coarse sand or a mixture of good peat, loam and sand suits the Lily best. See that the *drainage is perfect and the inside of the pot clean, to start with*. Pot firmly, barely covering the top of the bulb, and leaving room to add more soil when the surface roots appear. Select a situation out of doors, protected from the afternoon sun, and stand the pots on a bed of ashes raised above the general level to avoid stagnant moisture, and make firm to prevent the entrance of worms; then cover with 6 inches of cocoa-nut fibre or old leaf soil to keep off excessive rains. When top growth begins to show above the covering, remove the pots to a cold frame, pit, or greenhouse, and start giving water sparingly; a little *clear weak liquid manure given twice a week* when the flower-buds are well advanced will greatly assist in the development of fine blooms. A north wall or hedge is a suitable situation for starting the bulbs. If very early flowers are required the Lily may be started in a *gentle* heat as soon as potted, but as soon as top growth shows itself the plant must be kept as near the glass as possible to prevent it from being drawn. **Superbum** and the varieties of **Canadense** and **Pardalinum** prefer for soil a moist sandy peat, but will also thrive in any good fairly moist but sweet soil.

📖 To those desiring further information regarding Lilies, we recommend Dr. Wallace's
'Notes on Lilies' (price 5/- by post).

BARR'S SELECTIONS OF BEAUTIFUL LILIES.

For Greenhouse decoration,	25 in 25 beautiful named vars.,	£1. 1s., £1. 10s., & £2. 2s.
" " "	12 in 12 " " "	12s., 18s., £1. 5s., to £2. 2s.
For Flower border decoration,	25 in 25 " " "	£1. 1s., £1. 10s., & £2. 2s.
" " "	12 in 12 " " "	7s. 6d., 10s. 6d., 15s., £1. 1s., to £2. 2s.
For Rhododendron beds,	25 in 25 " " "	£1. 10s., £2. 2s., to £3. 3s.
" " "	12 in 12 " " "	7s. 6d., 10s. 6d., 15s., £1. 1s., £2. 2s.

***Auratum** (The White Golden-rayed Crimson-spotted Hill Lily of Japan). This is indeed the Queen of Lilies, and should have a place in every garden and greenhouse. It is of simplest culture and perfectly hardy.



LILIUM AURATUM.

Those who have beds of Rhododendrons should plant this grand Lily freely amongst them for a succession of flowers. Growing amongst Pæonies, and along the margins of evergreens, clumps of *L. auratum*, 6 to 12 bulbs in a clump planted 3 to 6 inches apart, produce a grand effect. As isolated subjects on large lawns, groups of *Lilium auratum* look very handsome and stately. A situation should be chosen where the plants are sheltered from cutting winds and screened from the midday sun. *We are expecting our first consignment of this beautiful Lily to arrive in November from Japan, and we are booking orders for delivery immediately on arrival, at the following extremely moderate prices.*

Splendid Large Bulbs, producing an abundance of flowers, 12 for 10/6, 25 for 20/–, 50 for 38/–, 100 for 70/–

Good-sized Bulbs, producing numerous flowers

12 for 7/6, 25 for 14/–, 50 for 26/–, 100 for 50/–

Smaller Bulbs, but of good flowering size

12 for 5/6, 25 for 10/–, 50 for 19/–, 100 for 36/–

A few Special Monster Bulbs, 1/6 each.

* Auratum var. Alexandreae , a very distinct and beautiful new white Lily from Uke Island, discovered 1893	each s. d.
" pictum , large white flowers, beautifully spotted crimson, and petals tipped red, very showy...per doz.	7 6
" platyphyllum , very large handsome flowers of great substance, with broad white petals, spotted crimson, 7 to 10 ft.	2 6

Extra strong bulbs, per doz. 25/–

***Auratum rubro-vittatum**, large pure white flowers, with a broad deep crimson band down the centre of each petal; a Lily of great beauty and the admiration of all who see it*Extra strong bulbs*, per doz. 25/–

* " **Virginale**, beautiful large white flowers, with golden band down each petal, chaste and beautiful, ht. 6 ft.*Extra strong bulbs*, per doz. 25/–

Batemanni, a beautiful Lily with rich glowing orange-red flowers, in August and September, ht. 3 ft.per doz. 7/6

Brownii, a grand and beautiful Lily, producing, in July, handsome trumpet-shaped flowers nearly 10 inches long, tips of petals reflexing slightly, pure white inside, with brown anthers, outside a chocolate-brown colour, 3 ft.; a splendid Lily for borders or pots, and of easy culture.....per doz. 10/6

Canadense flavum, flowers soft yellow, heavily spotted crimson, 3 ft.per doz. 10/6

" **rubrum**, flowers red, inside orange spotted black, 3 ft.per doz. 10/6

" **mixed**, flowers variously spotted, 3 ft.per doz. 7/6

Candidum (The Snow-White Madonna Lily or Cottager's White Garden Lily), bulbs supplied from September to December only. Before planting dust the bulbs with dry flour of sulphur, and this will keep away disease

solid healthy English-grown bulbs, per 100, 15/–; per doz. 2/6

a few grand large bulbs, per doz. 3/6

Catesbaei, a beautiful species, bearing in Autumn large erect flowers, orange-scarlet, spotted dark crimson, 1½ ft.per doz. 1 6

Chalcedonicum (The Scarlet Turk's Cap Lily of Cottage Gardens), flowers intense deep scarlet, blooming in July, very showy and effective, 3 ft.per doz. 10/6

extra large bulbs, 15/–

Columbianum, a very graceful Lily, bearing several small fragrant flowers of a brilliant deep orange, spotted crimson, and resembling a miniature *Humboldtii*, 3 ft.per doz. 1 3

Concolor, a small graceful Chinese Lily, bearing fiery scarlet flowers, 1 ft. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.per doz. 1 0

" **Coridion**, rich golden-yellow flowers, blotched purple; an elegant Lily, 1 ft.... per doz. 1 0

LILIES—continued.

each—s. d.

Croceum (The Cottager's Orange Lily), orange freely spotted black, showy and earlyper doz. 3/6 o 4

Davuricum (*syn. Umbellatum*), a very showy section of Lilies, bearing in June large handsome flowers and very effective, planted in clumps in shrubbery and flower borders, also good pot plants.

„ **erectum**, rich cerise-scarlet, shading to yellow, 2½ ft.per doz. 3/6 o 4

„ **Incomparable**, intense rich crimson, freely spotted, a handsome showy variety, 2 ft.per doz. 4 6 o 5

„ **Sappho**, scarlet, shading to orange, moderately spotted, 2 ft. „ 4/6 o 5

„ **fine mixed varieties**, 2 to 3 ft.per 100, 17/6; „ 2/6 ...

Elegans. See Thunbergianum.

Giganteum, the most majestic of Lilies, with large handsome heart-shaped leaves, and very long white trumpet-shaped flowers, 6 to 10 ft.**Monster bulbs**, each 5/6, 7/6 & 10 6

Grayi, a strikingly handsome Lily from the Alleghany Mountains, flowers of distinct and elegant form, rich deep blood-crimson, interior spotted maroon-black and shading to golden-yellow, habit light and graceful, 2 ft. 2 o

Hansoni (The Japanese Yellow Martagon Lily), large thick wax-like flowers, bright golden-yellow, spotted crimson-maroon; one of the most beautiful and distinct of June-flowering Lilies, 3 ft.; robust and easy of cultivation. **1st Class Certificate**..... 2 6

Henryi, a most handsome and elegant Lily discovered lately by Dr. Henry in North China; the flowers resemble in form *L. speciosum*, but are orange-yellow in colour and freely produced in branching heads, a hardy and vigorous grower, ht. 5 to 6 ft. 5 6

Humboldti, large handsome flowers, rich golden-yellow, spotted dark crimson, of great substance, with recurved petals, very showy, 5 ft. 2 6

Japonicum Colchesteri (*syn. Odorum and Japonicum*), a rare Lily bearing handsome fragrant flowers in July; it resembles *Lilium Brownii*, but the flowers are of a chrome-yellow inside changing to creamy white, while the outside is a very dark chocolate-brown colour; 3 ft. **1st Class Certificate R.H.S.**3/6 & 5 6

Krameri, a chaste and beautiful flower, delicate rose-pink, of elegant outline and graceful habit of growth, July flowering, 2 ft., **Extra strong bulbs**, per doz. 10/6, 15/-; each 1/- & 1 6

Leichtlini, bearing numerous handsome golden-yellow flowers, spotted crimson-purple, 3 to 4 ft.per doz. 21/- 2 o

Longiflorum, a beautiful section of Lilies, with long snow-white, trumpet-shaped flowers, in June and July. Greatly prized for pot-culture, and for flower beds and borders.

„ **albo-marginatum**, very ornamental, handsomely silver-striped foliage, and large white trumpet-shaped flowers, 2 ft. 1 6

„ **Harrisii (The Bermuda or Easter Lily)**, a graceful Lily with long handsome snow-white flowers, greatly in demand for early forcing, 3 ft. *Bulbs supplied from September to December*

strong bulbs.....per doz. 10/6 1 o

extra strong bulbs..... „ 15/- 1 6

a few monster bulbs, per doz. 21/-; 2/- & 2 6

„ **robustum**, also known as *Japonicum giganteum*, a strong and robust-growing Japanese variety, bearing large handsome snowy white trumpet-shaped flowers, which are not inclined to split when the bulbs are forced; valuable for succeeding *Lilium Harrisii*, as it blooms later, 3 ft.

strong bulbs, per 100, 30/-; per doz. 4/6 o 5

extra strong bulbs „ 6/6 o 7

Longiflorum Takesimæ (Jama-Jura Lily of the Japanese), a handsome variety, with large long trumpet-shaped white flowers, slightly tinged on outside, 2 ft.

per doz. 4/6 o 5

Maritimum, a beautiful distinct species, recently introduced, flowers bell-shaped, blood-crimson, spotted maroon, 2½ ft. **1st Class Certificate, Int. Hort. Exhibition** 2 6

Martagon, a tall and stately Lily, bearing in July pyramidal heads of purple reflexed flowers, spotted more or less with black, 4 ft.per doz. 4/6 o 5

„ **album**, one of the most beautiful of Lilies, bearing in summer handsome heads of pure white reflexed flowers, 4 ft. **1st Class Certificate, Crystal Palace** ... 2 6

„ **dalmaticum**, a stately Lily with long spikes of rich glossy dark crimson-purple (almost black) reflexed flowers, a most beautiful Lily, 4 ft. 2 6

Monadelphum szovitzianum (Colchicum), bearing handsome spikes of numerous large flowers of great beauty, clear citron-yellow, spotted black, turban-shaped, 3 ft.

per doz. 18/- 1 9

Nepalense, a magnificent greenhouse Lily of striking beauty, bearing large trumpet-shaped flowers, golden yellow, heavily blotched inside with crimson-purple, 3 ft.3/6 & 4 6



LILIUM LONGIFLORUM ROBUSTUM.

LILIES—continued.

each—s. d.

Pardalinum, stately, elegant-growing shade-loving Lilies, with large, handsome, showy flowers. These are charming when naturalised in grass, and make grand border plants.

- „ **type**, bright scarlet, shading to rich yellow, freely spotted purple-brown, flowers large, numerous and very handsome, 5 to 6 ft.per doz. 4/6 0 5
- „ **Bourgæi**, bright crimson, shading to yellow, spotted maroon, with narrow foliage, in regular whorls, flowers abundant, large and beautiful, 6 ft., per doz. 7/6 0 8
- „ **californicum**, flowers intense crimson, shading to orange, and spotted, large and very showy; of more slender growth than the other varieties, 3 to 4 ft.per doz. 10/6 1 0
- „ **Michauxi**, crimson-scarlet, shading to yellow, spotted maroon; later blooming than the other varieties, 4 to 5 ft.per doz. 5/6 0 6
- „ **Parviflorum**, a distinct and beautiful little Lily, bearing a profusion of small elegant flowers, yellow spotted brown, 3½ ft.per doz. 18/- 1 9
- „ **mixed varieties** for naturalising in quantity in grass and in damp peaty places per 100, 32/-; per doz. 4/6 ...

Parryi, a remarkably beautiful Lily. See Novelty List, page

Parvum, very distinct and showy, flowers small and bell-shaped, of a bright orange, freely spotted, 3½ ft.; it delights in a moist and peaty soilper doz. 10/6 1 0

Philadelphicum, a graceful little Lily with charming flowers, scarlet, shading to orange, elegantly spotted black, 1 ft.per doz. 10/6 1 0

Pomponium (true), a beautiful early-flowering Lily, with very graceful foliage, flowers reflexed and of a rich sealing-wax scarlet colour, ht. 2 to 3 ft.per doz. 7/6 0 8

Pyrenaicum flavum, bearing elegant spikes of numerous yellow flowers, spotted black, July-flowering, 3 ft.per doz. 4/6 0 5

Rubescens, a very beautiful and distinct Lily, flowers pearly white changing to rose and going off purple, spotted crimson, delicately fragrant 3 6

Speciosum (*syn. lancifolium*), beautiful autumn-flowering Lilies with large handsome flowers, with reflexing petals; when cut they last a long time in water.

- „ **album Kraetzeri**, extremely beautiful large white flowers of great substance, with dark orange-coloured anthers, 3 ft.

strong flowering bulbs, per doz. 10/6 1 0

extra strong bulbs „ 15/- 1 6

- „ **album verum**, a rare and beautiful Lily, earlier than Kraetzeri, flowers snowy white, with yellow anthers, broad light green foliage, 3 ft.per doz. 18/- 1 9

- „ **Melpomene**, the richest coloured of this group, large handsome flowers dark crimson, heavily spotted purple, and margined white, 3 ft.

extra strong bulbs, per doz. 7/6 & 10/6; 8d. & 1 0

- „ **punctatum**, white spotted pink, anthers yellow, distinct and beautiful, 3 ft.per doz. 6/6 0 8

- „ **purpureum**, a very fine variety, with abundance of dark purple-rose flowers, heavily spotted deep crimson-purple, a fine strong grower, 3 to 5 ft.per doz. 7/6 0 8

- „ **rubrum**, suffused and heavily spotted crimson, on white ground, 3 ft.per 100, 35/-; „ 5/6 0 6

Sulphureum (*syn. Wallichianum superbum*). The flowers 9 inches long, of great substance, and deliciously fragrant; on first opening sulphur-coloured, then changing to white, tinged rose; a charming pot Lily, requiring greenhouse culture, 4 to 6 ft.3/6 & 5 6

Superbum, flowers orange to crimson, spotted rich brown, and elegantly recurved, stately in growth, late Summer-flowering, bog-loving Lily, 4 to 7 ft. (Coloured Plate, 6d.), per doz. 7/6 0 8

Testaceum (*syn. excelsum*), very beautiful, large handsome flowers of a lovely apricot colour with showy scarlet anthers, delightfully fragrant; a hardy vigorous grower, 4 ft.per doz. 10/6 1 0

Tigrinum (Tiger Lily), a remarkably handsome section, with abundance of large showy brilliantly coloured flowers, lighting up the garden in August and September. All very hardy vigorous growers.

- „ **Fortunei**, producing bold branching heads of rich orange-scarlet flowers, spotted crimson, stem very woolly, 4 ft.per doz. 3/6 0 4

- „ „ **flore-pleno**, double orange-scarlet flowers, lasting long in bloom, 4 ft.per doz. 3/6 0 4

- „ **splendens**, very handsome, with large pyramidal heads of bright fiery orange-scarlet flowers, covered with large crimson-black spots, 6 ft.per 100, 17/6; per doz. 2/6 0 3

Thunbergianum (*syn. elegans*), a very beautiful group of showy Japanese Lilies, June- and July-flowering, greatly valued for flower border and pot-culture.

- „ **'Alice Wilson'**, large lemon-coloured flowers, a rare and beautiful Lily, 2 ft. 3 6

- „ **alutaceum Prince of Orange**, flowers rich clear apricot-orange, spotted black, a valuable dwarf showy Lily for filling flower beds and grouping in front borders, 1 ft.per 100, 25/-; per doz. 3/6 0 4

LILIES—continued.

		each—s. d.
Thunbergianum armeniacum , soft rich glowing orange-red, late-flowering, a grand showy Lily, 1½ ft.	per doz. 8/6	0 9
“ “ macranthum , a remarkably handsome large-flowered variety of the above	per doz. 15/-	1 6
“ Beauty (new) , large brilliant orange flowers, shaded red, handsome, 2 ft. Awarded First Class Certificate, Amsterdam.....	per doz. 15/-	1 6
“ bicolor , large beautiful apricot-orange, flamed scarlet, 1½ ft.	“ 7/6	0 8
“ Crimson Beauty , flowers glowing crimson with vermilion tinge, remarkably handsome, 1½ ft.	per doz. 10/6	1 0
“ flore-pleno , large double or semi-double blood-crimson flowers, 1½ ft. ..	“ 15/-	1 6
“ fulgens atrosanguineum , rich blood-red thinly spotted black, 1½ ft.	per doz. 5/6	0 6
“ G. F. Wilson , a very beautiful variety, and latest of this section to bloom, flowers large and erect, apricot, spotted purple, with central yellow streak, very free-flowering, 2 ft.	per doz. 15/-	1 6
“ Othello , <i>new garden variety</i> , large handsome blood-red flowers tinged orange, a fine bold handsome showy Lily	per doz. 12/-	1 3
“ robustum , a very handsome vigorous growing variety, with bold heads of large handsome orange-yellow flowers, freely spotted dark crimson, 2½ ft. Awarded 1st Class Certificate by the R.H.S.....	per doz. 5/6	0 6
“ sanguineum , crimson, shaded tawny yellow, flowers large and early, 1½ ft.	per doz. 5/6	0 6
“ Sunset (new) , flowers very large and of a beautiful glowing golden-chamois colour, remarkably handsome and free-flowering	per doz. 15/-	1 6
“ Van Houttei , flowers rich blood-crimson, blotched with gold and spotted black, large and remarkably handsome, 1½ ft.	per doz. 4/6	0 5
“ Wallacei , flowers rich glowing apricot-orange, with black spots, very effective and distinct, late-flowering, 2½ ft. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S....	per doz. 4/6	0 5
“ Willie Barr , fine large flowers of a bright orange-yellow, spotted crimson, 1½ ft., very showy and beautiful	per doz. 4/6	0 5
“ fine mixed varieties , for grouping in beds and borders, p. 100, 12/6 ..	“ 2/-	...

Umbellatum. See *Davuricum*.**Wallichianum superbum.** See *Sulphureum*.**Washingtonianum**, large handsome flowers, white, shading to lilac, fragrant, ht. 3 ft.; plant 6 inches deep in fibrous loam in partial shade.....per doz. 21/- 2 0

*LILY OF THE VALLEY, for Forcing, and making Plantations out-of-doors.

The clumps of Lily of the Valley quoted have been specially prepared, and cannot fail to give abundance of flowers. In potting, the crowns should be a little below the rim of the pot, and covered with cocoa fibre, which should be removed when the crowns show through; *tight potting* is of great importance, and care should be taken, in the *first watering*, that the moisture penetrates to the *centre of the clump*. The **Berlin Crowns** are extensively used for forcing by the growers for Covent Garden Market; of these, 15 to 20 may be planted in a 5-inch pot. For **Lily of the Valley beds**, also for massing in north borders, and to naturalise in woods, copses, &c., the **selected Dutch Crowns** are the best.

CULTURE.—A moist atmosphere, with a temperature of 80 to 85 degrees, and abundance of water, is necessary to success in forcing Lily of the Valley; to encourage simultaneously the development of flower and foliage, place the pots in a shady damp part of the house, or invert a flower-pot over the crowns, till the flower and the foliage have made some progress, when remove to a less shady situation. If they are grown in a dry atmosphere, or get an insufficient supply of water at the roots, the crowns, technically speaking, go ‘blind.’

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Extra strong selected clumps , for pot-culture	per doz. 12/-	1 3	this strain is <i>specially suited for out-door culture</i> , but may be very slowly forced in March.....per 100, 8/6; per doz. 1/3 ...
Barr's Finest Selected Berlin Crowns , for general early forcing per 1000, 60/-; per 100, 6/6 ...			Good selected Flowering Dutch Crowns , for outdoor planting, in beds, &c., and naturalising in woodlands .....per 1000, 42/-; per 100, 5/- ...
Barr's Improved English strain ‘ <i>Alexandra</i> ,’ bearing sturdy spikes well clothed with large handsome bells;			

Fortin's Grand Giant Strain. See Novelty List, page 5.**Retarded Crowns of Lily of the Valley.** Price on application.

*LYCORIS

aurea , a greenhouse bulb of great beauty, from China, bearing in October lovely drooping golden flowers, 1 ft.	2 6
radiata (syn. Nerine japonica) , a fine greenhouse bulb with rich crimson flowers, 1½ ft.	1 0

***MALYASTRUM Gilliesii (Modiola)**, a charming hardy rock-plant, profusely covered with crimson-purple flowers all the summerper doz. 5/6 0 6

METHONICA superba. See *Gloriosa*.

Reproduced from a Photograph taken at Barr & Sons' Nurseries.



Fortin's Giant-flowered Lily of the Valley. (See page 5.)

(^o A Spike of ordinary Lily of the Valley, illustrated to show the comparative difference in size.)

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Group of Barr's Late Tulips.

1. A DARWIN TULIP. *See page 53.*
2. TULIPA VITELLINA. " " 53.
3. TULIPA PICOTEE. " " 53.

4. TULIPA RETROFLEXA. *See page 53.*
5. PARROT TULIP 'CRIMSON BEAUTY.' *See page 53.*
6. TULIPA GOLDEN BEAUTY. *See page 52.*

MILLA (*Triteleia*) is a family of varied character; **Uniflora**, which produces masses of beautiful dwarf flowers in Spring, is very effective on rockwork, either alone or mingled with *Anemone apennina*, &c., also as a permanent edging, and in small beds it is very beautiful; it is a first-class bulb to naturalise in grass; *M. biflora* is a gem.

***biflora**, large pure white flowers of great substance; should be grown in pots under glass, or kept dry, and planted out in March in a well-drained and sunny situation.....per doz. 5/6 0 6

uniflora, white shaded blue, hardy, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.....per 1000, 21/-; per 100, 2/6; „ 4d. ...

„ **violacea**, porcelain-blue, striped violet, hardy, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. „ 2/6; „ 4d. ...

MODIOLA *geranoides*. See *Malvastrum Gilliesii*.

***MONTBRETIA**, a family of most decorative hardy summer-flowering bulbous plants. They have an elegant growth and produce freely in early August graceful spikes of gorgeously coloured flowers, which are of the greatest value for cutting, lasting long in water and mixing well with all kinds of foliage. They grow freely in any ordinary flower border enriched with manure, but a sunny situation is preferable. As pot-plants they are charmingly graceful.

Pottsii, graceful branched spikes of medium-sized brilliant vermilion-scarlet flowers, remarkably showy, 2 ft.per 1000, 25/-; per 100, 3/-; per doz. 6d. ...

„ **superba**, brilliant glowing vermilion, inside a rich golden, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. „ 10/6; „ 1/6 0 2

crococsmæflora, elegant branched spikes of large handsome showy flowers, brilliant orange-red shaded golden, a grand flower for cutting, $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

per 1000, 35/-; per 100, 4/6; per doz. 8d. ...

„ **aurea**, large golden yellow flowers, beautiful, 2 ft. „ 10/6; „ 1/6 0 2

„ **Bouquet Parfait**, deep yellow, shaded vermilion, very showy, 2 ft.

per 100, 12/6; „ 1/9 0 2

„ **Drap d'or**, rich deep golden, shaded apricot-orange, *late*, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

per 100, 10/6; „ 1/6 0 2

„ **Etoile de Feu**, one of the most brilliant, a remarkably striking flower, large and of an intense deep glowing vermilion, shaded orange-scarlet, with a golden centre and golden anthers.....per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 0 2

„ **Pluie d'or**, large rich apricot-orange, shaded golden-yellow, tall and handsome, and valuable to bed with *crococsmæflora*, $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 0 2

„ **Rayon d'or**, large flowers, deep golden shaded apricot-orange, with crimson central ring.....per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 0 2

„ **Solfaterre**, a delicate primrose-yellow colour, rather late, and valuable for succession, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 0 2

„ **Talisman**, rich vermilion, shaded orange, late and valuable for succession, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

per doz. 3/6 0 4

„ **Transcendant**, very large open flowers, orange-red, shading to golden, and vermilion, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 0 2

„ **mixed seedling varieties**, containing many beautiful and showy colours

per 1000, 55/-; per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/- ...

MORPHIXIA (*syn. Ixia longiflora*).

Lovely little bulbous plants with the same graceful habit as the *Ixia*, but dwarfer, the flowers being long and tubular; they come into bloom later than the *Ixias*, and continue in flower frequently till August. These little gems should be given choice spots on rockwork or front border.

	per doz.—s.	d.		per doz.—s.	d.
Paniculata , flowers inside a beautiful buff			Paniculata lutea , soft lemon,		
colour, outside brick-rose	1	6	shaded buff, beautiful.....	1	6
Paniculata rosea , deep rose and white	1	6			

MUSCARI (*Grape, Starch, Musk, and Feathered Hyacinths*).

These lovely Spring Flowers require no special culture or soil. On rockwork they are beautiful, while as edgings and masses in the flower border they are most charming, and continue a long time in bloom, ht. 4 to 6 in. We can strongly recommend them all for naturalisation (see *Illustration of M. conicum* 'Heavenly Blue,' naturalised on a grassy bank, page 6).

Conicum 'Heavenly Blue.' This lovely coloured form was sent us some years ago from Trebizond; the blue is of the brightest and richest shade imaginable, large masses producing a wonderful effect in Spring; the flowers have a delightful fragrance, and are very valuable for cutting as they last long in water; by far the showiest of all the *Muscari*. Awarded a Certificate of Merit by the Royal Botanic Society, 1897. See *Illustration*, page 6

Armeniacum, ultramarine blue, very beautiful, succeeding *M. conicum* 'Heavenly Blue' in time of flowering.....per 100, 12/6 1 9...0 2

Azureum, bearing lovely little heads of Cambridge blue, early in February „ 15/- 2 3...0 3

„ **Freynianum**, numerous large spikes of turquoise-blue, very beautiful... 10 6...1 0

Botryoides cæruleum (*Grape Hyacinth*), fine dark blue, very pretty as edgings and for massing on rockwork, or filling small beds

per 1000, 15/-; per 100, 1/9 0 3... ..

„ **album**, beautiful pure white

„ **candidum**, white, tinged rose..... 4 6...0 5

„ **pallidum**, pretty spikes of pearl-blue

„ „ **grandiflorum**, beautiful pale azure-blue

5 0...0 6

MUSCARI—*continued*.

		each—s.	d.
comosum (Tassel Hyacinth), forming at top of stem curious tassel-like heads of deep blue flowers	per 100, 8/6	1	3...0 2
Heldreichii , beautiful spikes of deep blue with white at mouth of bell.....		7	6...0 9
Moschatum major , the Large Musk Hyacinth , fragrant		5	6...0 6
„ flavum , large spikes of fine yellow fragrant flowers, <i>rare</i> .....		...	2 3
Neglectum majus (Starch Hyacinth), blue-black, large and very early. Remains long in beauty	per 100, 8/6	1	3... ..
Paradoxum , long handsome spikes of very nearly pure black flowers, very handsome	per 100, 7/6	1	3...0 2
Plumosum monstrosum (Ostrich Feather Hyacinth), purple-lilac	per 100, 3/6	0	6... ..

We can also supply the following varieties—**Azureum pygmæum**, each, 1/6; **Botryoides leucophæus**, per doz. 5/6; **Szovitzianum**, per doz. 2/3; and many others.

MUSK HYACINTH. See **Muscari moschatum**.**NARCISSI, BUNCH-FLOWERED, OR POLYANTHUS NARCISSI.****ALL VERY SWEET-SCENTED.**

The **Polyanthus Narcissi** produce large heads of sweet-scented flowers, and are specially adapted for Winter and Spring decoration in pots and jardincts. The effect is greatly enhanced when three bulbs are grown together in a 6 or 7-inch pot. The culture is the same as that of the **Hyacinth**. For flower beds and mixed borders, the **Polyanthus Narcissi** are great favourites, and produce a beautiful effect. Plant in October or November, but at the approach of winter give a light covering of long litter or other material to keep off severe frosts; remove the covering in March.

Where flowers are in demand in November, December, and early in January, the **Paper White** 'Early Snowflake' and **Double Roman Narcissi** are of great value for forcing with the **Roman Hyacinths** (see **Culture**, page 1).

SELECTIONS FOR POT-CULTURE, BEDS, BORDERS, FLOWER BOXES, &c.

(not including **Paper White** and **Double Roman Narcissi**.)

100 in 12 splendid varieties	25/-
50 in 12 „ „	13/8
24 in 12 „ „	7/-
12 in 12 „ „	3/9

Barr's Choice Mixture of Polyanthus Narcissi, specially made up, for mixed flower beds and borders, &c.....per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1 3

Polyanthus Narcissus—White-Petalled Varieties.

	per doz.	each	s.	d.	s.	d.
Bazelman major , large broad pure white perianth, large dark yellow cup.....	10	6...1	0			
Couronne Blanche (new), perianth white, cup yellow, fine large flower, late	2	6...0	3			
Gloriosus , perianth white, cup glowing orange-yellow, very showy	2	3...0	3			
Grand Monarque , large broad white perianth, cup primrose-yellow ...per 100, 12/6	2	3...0	3			
Her Majesty , broad pure white perianth, large deep golden cup	4	6...0	5			
Mæstro (new), perianth white, large rich orange cup, often inclined to be double, a grand dwarf variety, very free-flowering.....	6	6...0	8			
Mont Cenis , bearing bold handsome clusters of large flowers, petals broad pure white, cup rich yellow	2	6...0	3			
Orientalis (Muzart), perianth large white, cup stained rich deep orange, very showy and beautiful in beds and borders.....per 100, 6/6	1	3...0	2			
Paper White 'Early Snowflake,' a fine large free-flowering variety of the old Paper White Narcissus , most valuable for early forcing	1	6...0	2			
Queen of the Netherlands , pure white perianth, rich yellow cup	3	6...0	4			
'Scilly Isles' White , perianth white, cup creamy white, very early and beautiful, dwarf	1	0...0	2			
White Perfection , pure white perianth, cup almost white, rather dwarf and very beautiful.....per 100, 15/-	2	6...0	3			

Polyanthus Narcissus—Yellow-Petalled Varieties.

Adonia , perianth deep primrose, cup brilliant deep orange-yellow, large well-formed flowers	4	6...0	5			
Apollo , perianth deep primrose, cup orange-yellow	2	3...0	3			
Bathurst , perianth yellow, cup deep golden, dwarf	2	6...0	3			
Charles Dickens , perianth primrose, cup orange-yellow, large flower, distinct	per 100, 15/-	2	6...0	3		
Grand Soleil d'Or , perianth golden, cup deep brilliant orange, early	10/6	1	9...0	2		
Jaune Supreme , perianth buff-primrose, cup orange-yellow	12/6	2	3...0	3		
La Comtesse (new), bearing abundance of large flowers, perianth delicate pale primrose, cup yellow, rather dwarf, distinct and beautiful.....	3	6...0	4			
Sir Isaac Newton , perianth golden-buff, cup orange-yellow, large ...per 100, 15/-	2	6...0	3			

Double Polyanthus Narcissi.

Double Roman Narcissus, double white with orange nectary, prized for early forcing with the **Paper White Narcissus**; the individual flowers are wired and used in buttonhole bouquets, &c.per doz. each s. d. s. d.
per 100, 6/6 1 3...

Narcissus Intermedius—Beautiful Small Tazettas.

Bifrons, perianth yellow, cup orange, very showy in bouquetsper 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2
Sunset, perianth canary-yellow, cup rich orange-scarlet, remarkably beautiful and distinct 10 6...1 0

THE SACRED, OR GOOD LUCK LILY OF CHINA AND JAPAN.

Called by the Chinese, 'Jos Flower,' or 'Flower of the Gods,' and 'Water Fairy Flower.'

This is a species of **Polyanthus Narcissus** we annually import from Northern China, and is prized for the abundance of its flowers and marvellously rapid growth. The flowers are white, with yellow cup, and very fragrant; they are mostly single, but a few doubles are sometimes found amongst them. Each bulb produces several flower spikes, bearing many flowers. In China and Japan the bulbs are grown in the living rooms in fancy bowls filled simply with pebbles and water, and the natives compete with one another in growing the finest specimens for their New Year's Festival, successful culture being regarded as an emblem of 'Good Luck.' The bulb in this country can be grown as successfully as in China, and it is most interesting to watch its rapid growth, which is somewhere about 20 inches in forty days; place in a sunny window by day and on a table near the fireplace by night, as frost destroys the flower buds. The natural atmosphere of a warm greenhouse suits this flower well, and we can strongly recommend it to FORCE FOR CHRISTMAS DECORATION. *Fulfil particulars of culture sent with the bulbs.* Orders now booked for immediate delivery on arrival, which we expect to be the end of September.

Very Large Bulbs, expected to arrive end of Septemberper doz. 7/6; 3 for 2/-; each s. d.
 Fine Large Bulbs " " "per doz. 5/6; 3 for 1/3; " 0 9
 Fancy Decorated Japanese Bowls, same as used by the Chinese for growing the 'Good Luck Lily' in. For 1 bulb, 1/- & 1/3; for 2 bulbs, 1/6; for 3 bulbs, 2/-; for 4 bulbs, 3/-; for 6 bulbs, 4/-; for 8 bulbs, 5/6; for 10 bulbs, 7/6.

Small Pebbles for growing the 'Good Luck Lily' in, per quart, 6d. (one quart required for 3 bulbs).

Barr's Mixture of Cocoa-Fibre and Charcoal also recommended (see page 60).

NARCISSUS or DAFFODILS. See Daffodil Catalogue.

NEMASTYLIS Pringlii, very beautiful star-shaped azure-blue flowers two inches across, in June, $\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Hardy on rockwork in warm spots, where it is dry in Winter. Plant early in Spring in light sandy soil each s. d.
 1 0

NERINE sarniensis (Guernsey Lily). A most brilliantly coloured and lovely flower of elegant form; colour vivid crimson-scarlet, sparkling in the sun as if bespangled with gold. If grown in pots, encourage a free growth during Winter and let the bulbs go to rest in May by withholding water, then start watering them again about the end of August and they should bloom in Autumn. In very mild localities this bulb may be established out of doors, planted against a south wall, if the foliage in Winter is protected from frost...per doz. 7/6
undulata (crispa), rose-coloured flowers, petals elegantly curled, a little gem for the greenhouse, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft. 1 6

New Seedling Hybrids, all very beautifulper doz. 12/- 1 3

ORNITHOGALUM (Star of Bethlehem), very pretty hardy bulbs, flowering in Spring and early Summer. **Arabicum** and **aureum** should either be grown in pots or planted in a warm situation close to a south wall, at a depth of 6 inches. **Pyramidale**, **Nutans**, and **Umbellatum** are charming plants for naturalising in woodlands, meadows, &c.; the two latter will thrive in dense shade where few other plants will grow.

arabicum, handsome white flowers in June, with black central disc and yellow stamens, very beautiful in pots in the greenhouse; may be planted on warm sunny south borders, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

large roots, per doz. 3/6 0 4

aureum, rich apricot-orange, a beautiful little species for pot or frame culture, 1 ft. " 7/6 0 8

lacteam, a lovely border plant bearing a dense raceme of white flowers; very handsome, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.per doz. 10/6 1 0

montanum, a pretty dwarf species, with umbels of starry white flowers, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. ...per doz. 2/- 0 3

nutans, elegant spikes of silver-grey flowers, outside shaded pale sea-green, beautiful; valuable for cutting and naturalising in woodlands, &c., 1 ft.per 100, 5/6; per doz. 10d. ...

pyramidale, a very beautiful bulbous plant, but little known; in Spring its large spikes of beautiful snowy white flowers are very attractive in borders, 2 ft.per doz. 6/6 0 7

umbellatum splendens, a large handsome form of the *old Star of Bethlehem*, bearing umbels of pure white starry flowers effective in masses and edgings, valuable to naturalise per 100, 4/6; per doz. 8d. ...

OXALIS cernua var. bermudiana (The Bermuda Buttercup Oxalis), a charming Winter-flowering bulb for indoor decoration, producing a luxuriance of graceful bright yellow flowers for weeks. Pot up early and keep in a dark cool position for a few weeks to root well, and then remove to a sunny window, or greenhouse; the bulbs may also be potted later, kept in a frame, and planted out in Springper 100, 15/-; per doz. 2/3...0 3

PANCRATIUM calathinum, a synonym of **Hymenocallis**. See page 29.

illyricum, beautiful white flowers, with long filamentous outer segments. A fine pot each—s. d.
plant, or for planting under a south wall, 2 ft. Fine bulbs, per doz. 10/6 1 0

maritimum (The Sea Daffodil), white flowers, delightfully fragrant, suitable for pot-culture, or to plant under a south wall, 1½ ft. per doz. 5/6 0 6

***PHÆDRANASSA**

Other species can also be supplied.

chloracea, yellow, very fragrant, 1½ ft. The Phædranassas (Queen Lilies) { doz. 4/6 0 6

schizantha, vermilion, tipped yellow } arc handsome pot-plants, but may also
and green } be grown under a south wall, planted
..... } at the depth of 5 or 6 inches. April to
ventricosa, scarlet, with protruding } June-flowering. 1 0

anthers, 1½ ft. } 1 0

POLIANTHES tuberosa. See Tuberose, page 48.**POLYANTHUS Nar-**

cissus. See Narcissi.

***POLYGONATUM (Solomon's Seal, or David's Harp).**

officinale, the **Tall Solomon's Seal**, a fine bold plant of graceful habit, having graceful arching stems of pendent white flowers, valuable for naturalising in woodlands, wild gardens, &c., 2 ft. per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 ...

macrophyllum, a handsome large-leaved variety ,, 7/6 0 9

multiflorum, the **Dwarf Solomon's Seal**, its graceful habit and elegant white flowers render it a valuable pot-plant for early forcing; it is equally prized for herbaceous borders and naturalising in woodlands, &c., 1 ft. per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 0 2

stellatum, producing pretty clusters of white flowers at top of an erect leafy stem, 1 ft. per 100, 21/-; per doz. 3/- 0 4

Thunbergii, bright shining green broad foliage, and clusters of large waxy white pendant flowers, tipped green, on arching stems, 1½ ft. per 100, 21/-; per doz. 3/- 0 4

verticillatum, producing from the axils of the leaves pretty clusters of white flowers, 1 ft. per 100, 21/-; per doz. 3/- 0 4

variegatum, with prettily variegated foliage ,, 42/-; ,, 5/6 0 6

Several other species can also be supplied.

PUSCHKINIA, a first-class dwarf hardy April-flowering bulb, which should be represented in the permanent flower borders of every garden; it is charming on rockwork, and is also a lovely indoor pot-plant (6 bulbs in a pot).

libanotica compacta, white, shaded and striped blue, 6 in. ...per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3 0 2

RANUNCULUS, Turco-Persian, Turban and Persian.

Nothing produces a brighter or more gorgeous effect in May and June than beds of *Ranunculus*, the flowers are all good for cutting, and the culture is very simple. They will grow in any ordinary flower border enriched with manure.

CULTURE.—Plant from October to February, 3 or 4 inches apart, selecting a dry day; press the tubers firmly into the soil, *claws downwards*, and cover them with sand, then with soil, keeping the crown of the tuber two inches under the surface. After planting, cover the ground with *long straw, cut heather, or other light material*, which remove in March; this protects the young growths from cutting winds. In April and May, during dry weather, water the beds freely; a plentiful crop of fine flowers will be the result. If grown as pot-plants put three tubers in a 4-inch pot, and plunge out of doors for a time.

RANUNCULUS, Barr's Giant Turco-Persian for Bedding.

This new race of *Ranunculus* is remarkable for a vigorous growth and profuse flowering. The blooms are large and very handsome, in great diversity of colour. When massed in flower beds and borders, these grand *Ranunculuses* produce a glorious effect. For cutting they are most valuable, and flowers may be gathered from the same bed several times a week, during the flowering period, without impairing the display.

Barr's Large Orange-Scarlet, for massing in flower beds and borders.....per 100 s. d. 3 6

„ „ **Crimson-Scarlet** „ „ „ „ „ „ „ „ 3 6

„ „ **Crimson-Rose** „ „ „ „ „ „ „ „ 5 6

„ „ **White** „ „ „ „ „ „ „ „ 3 6

„ „ **Yellow** „ „ „ „ „ „ „ „ 5 6

„ „ **Pale Primrose** „ „ „ „ „ „ „ „ 5 6

Barr's Choice Mixture of many colours, for massing in flower beds and borders, *specially made up* from bright showy coloursper 1000, 35/-; per 100 4 0

Collection 5 roots each of 18 very beautiful Named Sorts for select flower borders, &c. 7 6

Collection 3 roots each of 18 very beautiful Named Sorts for select flower borders, &c. 5 0

The above-named sorts we can confidently recommend for their large flowers and brilliant and delicate colours.

RANUNCULUS, Double Turban or Turkish for Bedding.

The flowers of the *Turban Ranunculus* differ from the *Persian* in being larger, more rose-like, and self-coloured. In beds, ribbons, and masses in the borders, the rich *yellow*, bright *orange*, brilliant *scarlet*, beautiful *rose-carmine*, and pure *white* flowers are very effective in Spring.

50 each 8 splendid varieties ... 15/- | **20 each 8 splendid varieties** 6/6

30 „ 8 „ „ „ „ „ „ „ „ ... 9/6 | **10 „ 8 „ „ „ „ „ „ „ „** 3/6

RANUNCULUS (DOUBLE TURBAN)—continued.

	p. 100	p. doz.		p. 100	p. doz.
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.
Bright Yellow	2	6...0	4	Spotted , mottled red and yellow ...	3 6...0 6
Crimson	2	6...0	4	White , beautiful	7 6...1 3
Crimson-black	2	6...0	4	Viridiflora , a remarkably attractive	
Rich Golden-yellow , showy	2	6...0	4	flower, large brilliant orange-scarlet,	
Orange , showy	3	6...0	6	with bright green centre, much prized	
Rose-carmine , a beautiful				for cutting	per 1000, 30/- 3 6...0 6
colour	3	6...0	6	Extra fine mixture of many	
Scarlet , splendid	2	6...0	4	beautiful colours, p. 1000, 18/-	2 0... ..

RANUNCULUS, Double Persian, for Beds, Borders, and Masses.

The Persian *Ranunculi* are very attractive on account of their finely formed very double flowers, and their rich varied brilliant colours.

Splendid selection of colours in mixture, for beds, borders, and masses

per 1000, 15/-; per 100, 2/- ...

***RICHARDIA (Calla)**, a charming family of greenhouse plants. *Africana (Æthiopica)* is much prized for its grand large white flowers; *Albo-maculata* for its beautifully spotted foliage; *Hastata* for its fine yellow flowers. *Albo-maculata* and *Hastata* may also be planted outdoors in Spring for Summer decoration.

each—s. d.

africana (syn. æthiopica), *The Lily of the Nile*, large white trumpet-shaped flowers established plants in pots, per doz. 18/-, 25/-, & 30/-; 1/9, 2/6, & 3 6

„ **Little Gem**, a very beautiful miniature *Lily of the Nile*

albo-maculata, flowers white, dark green foliage beautifully spotted white, an extremely effective pot-plant, and valuable for beds and borders

hastata, fine yellow flowers, with black centre and white-spotted foliage..... „ 24/- 2 6

Pentlandi, the **Large Golden Arum Lily**. See Novelty List, page 5.

Other varieties—*Aurata*, each, 2/6; *Elliotiana*, each, 21/-

***RIGIDELLA immaculata**, a most beautiful Mexican bulbous plant, very little known, flowers brilliant orange-scarlet in June, 1½ ft., requires same culture as for *Tigridias* 2 6

ROMULEA, graceful dwarf hardy plants, with grassy foliage and satiny flowers. Charming for sunny nooks on rockwork.

Clusii, large-flowered Portuguese species, in various delicate shades

rosea, var. **Leichtlini** (new), beautiful large satiny rose..... 2 6

speciosa, deep satiny carmine, a little gem, ½ ft.....per 100, 4/6; per doz. 8d. ...

ROSES for Autumn Planting. See page 59.

SANGUINARIA canadensis major (Bloodroot), the white flowers in Spring borne above the Coltsfoot-like leaves, which fold around the flowers towards evening; a charming plant for the flower border or rock garden; plant in any ordinary garden soil in shady situation; perfectly hardy, ½ ft.per 100, 8/6; per doz. 1/3 0 2

SCHIZOSTYLIS

coccinea, a valuable hardy Cape plant, producing in Autumn an abundance of *Gladiolus*-like spikes, covered with showy rich scarlet flowers, prized for cutting; it delights in a sheltered situation amongst trees and shrubs. *Established masses, if lifted in Autumn and potted, flower freely under glass during the Winter months*, 1½ ft., per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3..... ..

SCILLAS.—Early-flowering. The effect in early Spring can hardly be over-estimated of the intense brilliant blue of *Scilla sibirica*, and the beautiful ultramarine-blue of *Scilla bifolia*, contrasting with the snow-white of the *Snowdrop* and the varied hues of the *Crocus*. As edgings these two early-flowering *Scillas* are most valuable. Grown in pots or jardinetts, alone, or with other bulbs, they form a pleasing variety amongst indoor plants. In flower beds and masses the blossoms are so abundantly produced as to carpet the ground. *Bifolia* is the first in bloom and is closely followed by *Sibirica*. All suitable for naturalisation and permanent flower borders.

Sibirica, spikes of intense rich blue flowers, dwarf

per 1000, 21/-; per 100, 2/6

Extra strong selected bulbs, per 1000, 25/-; per 100, 3/-; per doz. 6d.

a few very large bulbs..... „ 4/6; „ 8d.

„ **var. taurica**, flowering two weeks earlier than *Sibirica*, and flowers of a rich

light hyacinth blue, very beautiful.....per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9

„ **alba**, the same as the type, but flowers pure white, very beautiful, and can be

strongly recommended.....per 100, 30/-; per doz. 4/6 0 6

Amoena, a handsome species with spikes of rich dark blue flowers and broad foliage growing 1 ft. high; it likes a sunny position in light soil

Bifolia, of the *Taurus Mountains*, deep blue, very dwarf; a charming early Spring flower,

valuable for masses and edgings in borders and on rockwork

per 1000, 30/-; per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d.

extra large bulbs, „ 4/6; „ 8d.

„ **alba**, pure white, rare and beautiful

„ **rosea**, pretty pale rose

SCILLAS (Wood Hyacinths).—May-flowering, the Wood Hyacinth is one of the most decorative of May-flowering bulbs. Our native species (*Scilla nutans*) abounds in most parts of the country, and many suppose it to be the 'Culver keys' referred to by Izaak Walton. The fine Spanish varieties (*S. campanulata*) have erect flower spikes and larger and handsomer flowers than our native plants, which have arching flower spikes. All the Wood Hyacinths are very effective in flower and shrubbery borders, and most valuable for wild gardens and woodlands, where they should be largely naturalised; they seed freely and quickly establish themselves. They also make charming pot-plants, and may be forced into bloom by March. The white varieties are greatly in demand to cut for table bouquets and vases. They should also be planted in groups in all shady flower borders and bare shady places, and odd corners which often have a desert-like appearance in the flower garden might well be made gay and useful with these charming Wood Hyacinths. Wood Hyacinths will thrive under Fir and Pine trees where few other plants will grow.

	p. 100	p. doz.		p. 100	p. doz.
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.
Campanulata grandiflora , bells very large, clear blue	6	6...1	0	Campanulata rosea grandiflora , a fine large-flowered variety	10 6...1 6
„ aperta , blue striped white, very pretty and distinct	10	6...1	6	Nutans rosea , fine rose	5 6...0 10
„ alba , pure white, beautiful	4	6...0	8	„ „ grandiflora , large fine rose-coloured flowers	10 6...1 6
„ „ compacta , pure white bells, compact truss, very fine	10	6...1	6	Patula alba , pure white	... 1 9
„ Emperor , very large and beautiful, porcelain striped blue	10	6...1	6	„ major , large and handsome dark porcelain bells	7 6...1 3
„ Empress , differs from Emperor in being of a paler colour	10	6...1	6	„ rosea , pretty rose	12 6...1 9
„ rosea , fine rose	5	6...0	10	Pyramidalis , a handsome section, bearing large bold heads of flower.	
				„ alba , beautiful pure white	8 6...1 3
				„ rosea , delicate rose	... 3 6

Choice Mixed Wood Hyacinths, for naturalising in shrubberies, &c., p. 1000, 30/- 3 6...0 6

English Blue Bells (Scillas)	„	„	„	25/-	3 0...0 6
„ Red Bells (Scillas)	„	„	„	42/-	4 6...0 8
„ White Bells (Scillas)	„	„	„	42/-	4 6...0 8

SCILLAS, Various Species. *Peruviana* and *Ciliaris* are giant Summer-flowering Scillas, and grand border plants. *Autumnalis japonica* has beautiful rose-coloured flowers, and blooms from August. *Italica* is beautiful on rockeries and in flower borders.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Autumnalis , purple-blue, per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3	0 2	Hyacinthoides (true) , large broad foliage, 1 ft. to 1½ ft. in ht., large raceme of deep blue flowers, 2 ft.	4/6 0 6
„ japonica , beautiful rose-coloured flowers	4/6 0 5	Italica , racemes of pretty pale blue flowers in May, May-scented	4/6 0 6
Ciliaris , large heads of flowers, dark and light blue to pearly white, ht. 1 ft. per doz. 7/6	0 8	Peruviana , large handsome heads of dark blue flowers, ht. 1 ft.	4/6 0 5
		Verna , pretty lilac-blue	4/6 0 5

SNOWDROP. See *Galanthus*, page 22. **SNOWFLAKE.** See *Leucojum*, page 34.

SOLOMON'S SEAL. See *Polygonatum*, page 44.

SPARAXIS, it would be difficult to conceive colours more gorgeous and striking than are represented in this flower. It has a compact dwarf growth, and is a gem in every way, for pots, rockwork, &c. Culture same as for *Ixias*. Plant January and February on raised sunny beds.

5 each of 12 very beautiful varieties..... 4 6

3 „ 12 „ „ „ 3 0

Tricolor, scarlet, marbled-crimson with yellow centre, very showy ... per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1 0

Barr's Beautiful Mixture of colours.....per 1000, 22/6; „ 2/6; „ 0 4

SPARAXIS pulcherrima, a remarkable plant, with a dense elegant grassy foliage, from which rise graceful wiry flower stems, 3 to 5 feet high, arching over in a broad graceful curve, and bearing beautiful bell-shaped flowers; hardy in dry sunny sheltered positions. Figured in *The Garden*, 1888per doz. 10/6; each 1 0

SPIRÆA (The Meadow Sweet), for Forcing or Planting out.

The large graceful feathery pure white fragrant flowers of *Spiræa japonica* and the new varieties, *compacta multiflora* and *Astilboides*, are most valuable for furnishing vases, while the plants are amongst the most decorative for the conservatory and room. In forcing, a moist atmosphere and abundance of water at the roots is necessary. *Spiræa palmata* has feathery clusters of lovely rosy crimson blossoms, which when cut are greatly prized for vases and bouquets. *Spiræa japonica* fol. *aureo-reticulatis* is attractive and ornamental, and forces as easily as *S. japonica*. In shady or moist borders out of doors, the *Spiræas* are all very decorative plants.

SPIRÆA—continued.

	each—s.	d.		each—s.	d.
Japonica ...strong clumps, p. doz. 5/6	o	6	Palmata alba , large spreading plumes of snow-white flowers, beautiful		
„ fol. aureo-reticulatis , very ornamental golden-blotched foliage, compact plumes of creamy white flowers, a remarkably pretty pot-plant			per doz. 5/6	o	6
clumps, per doz. 5/6	o	6	„ elegans , beautiful pale pink		
„ compacta multiflora , dwarf and compact, with large dense white flower spikes, clumps, per doz. 5/6	o	6	clumps, per doz. 4/6	o	6
Palmata , large clusters of rose crimson flowers...good clumps, per doz. 5/6	o	6	Astilboides , a lovely species, bearing dense drooping plumes of graceful snowy white flowers		
			clumps, per doz. 4/6	o	6
			„ floribunda (new), lovely panicles of feathery white flowers in great profusion		
			clumps, per doz. 5/6	o	6

For other beautiful Species of **SPIRÆAS**, see **PLANT CATALOGUE**.

STARCH HYACINTH. See **Muscari**, page 42.**STERNBERGIA lutea** (The Lily of the Field).

In Autumn it produces handsome golden-yellow crocus-like flowers from amidst a bright green foliage. Plant 4 inches deep, in a good, well-drained soil and a sunny aspect. Naturalised on grassy sunny slopes it is charming.....per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6

Fischeriana, bearing long glaucous foliage and large handsome golden flowers in Spring.....per doz. 5/6

macrantha, a splendid new species with very large golden flowers in autumn...per doz. 4/6

STREPTOCARPUS (Cape Primrose), **New Hybrids**, bearing handsome trumpet-shaped flowers, pure white to lilac, and pretty rose purple, of easy greenhouse culture, p. doz. 4/6

TECOPHILÆA cyanocrocus, a most beautiful Chilean Spring-flowering bulb, bearing large Crocus-like bright rich blue flowers with white throat, delicately scented. It makes a charming pot-plant, as well as being a gem for warm dry sunny situations on rockwork, or under a south wall, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.....per doz. 15/-

***TIGRIDIA PAVONIA** (Tiger-spotted Flowers).

Few flowers are more gorgeously coloured or so beautiful. The bulbs are supplied from December to May; for pot-culture, pot up as soon as received and plunge in a cold frame, withholding water till the foliage appears, then giving sparingly at first. Those bulbs intended for outdoors should be stored in dry-soil or sand, away from frost, till March, and then planted in sunny positions in the flower border. Beds of *Tigridias* make a gorgeous picture during July, August, and September, and should be made a special feature of in all gardens. (*Beautiful Coloured Plate of T. alba*, price 6d.)

Collection—12 bulbs of each of the following 5 varieties of *Tigridia*, 7/6;
6 bulbs each, 4/-.

	p. 100	p. doz.
	s. d.	s. d.
conchiflora , petals yellow, cup yellow, spotted scarlet, large flower	10	6...1 6
grandiflora rubra , petals rich scarlet, cup spotted crimson on a yellow ground, flowers very large, 1 ft.	10	6...1 6
„ alba , petals white, cup spotted ruby, large, very chaste, and beautiful, 1 ft. 10	6...1	6
„ „ immaculata , flowers pure white throughout, beautiful, 1 ft.	15	0...2 3
„ Ruby Queen , beautiful soft ruby-rose, large handsome flower, 1 ft.....	12	6...1 9

***TIGRIDIA Van Houttei**, flowers 2 inches across, chocolate-brown, reticulated yellow, a very curious, distinct little species, ht. 1 ft.

violacea, a charming little species, flowers nearly 2 inches across, rosy purple, centre dotted rose-purple on white ground, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.....

TRITELEIA. See **Milla**.

TRITONIA. In habit and growth resembling the *Sparaxis*, but the prevailing colours differ, and flowering later it forms a most important succession. The colours range from buff to rose and the richest glowing orange, the flowers always having a beautiful transparency. For pot-culture they are most valuable. Culture same as for *Ixias*.

Selection—5 each of 10 splendid varieties, 7/6; 3 each, 4/6; 1 each, 1/9.

crocata, flowers large and bright orange, remarkably showy, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft., p. 100, 12/6; p. doz. 1/9

Barr's Beautiful Mixture of Colours.....per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1 3

TROPÆOLUM, all beautiful climbers. *Azureum* and *Jarratti* are recommended for the greenhouse to trail over trellises, round pillars, &c. *Polyphyllum* revels on dry sunny slopes. *Tuberosum* requires an open sunny situation and poor soil, and should have branches to scramble over. *Speciosum* may be successfully grown in the south of England if planted in a cool, moist, or shady situation, away from the sun's rays; it delights in a shady place, and especially near a stream where its roots can reach the water. In hot dry districts we have also grown it successfully, planted close against the north side of evergreen hedges.

TROPEOLUM—*continued.*

	each—s.	d.
azureum , a rare bulb, flowers rich violet-blue, with white centre, very lovely...per doz.	24/-	2 6
Jarrattii , flowers scarlet, orange, and black, an exceedingly showy species	3/6	0 4
polyphyllum , golden-yellow flowers in long trusses, quite hardy.....	3/6	0 4
speciosum , bright vermilion-scarlet flowers in clusters, quite hardy; grow in northern aspect and moist soil, or shady position, <i>established pots, full of roots</i>		

per doz. 7/6 & 10/6; 9d., 1/- & 1 6
***tuberosum**, flowers yellow and red, very showy; plant in Spring and lift in Autumn; the roots are eaten by the natives of Peru, and have been found, in this country, to form an agreeable dish when boiled.....fine bulbs, per doz. 4/6 0 5

TUBEROSE. This valuable sweet-scented flower is too well known to need description. For early flowering pot the bulbs as soon as received, and plunge the pots in a temperature of about 60 degrees. The bulbs for succession keep dry, or pot at once to make root growth; in either case the temperature should not be below 50 degrees or the bulbs will suffer.

***Double American Dwarf, 'Excelsior Pearl,'** comparatively dwarf, with pure white double flowers: strong forcing roots, ready from January:

per 100, 15/-; per doz.	2/6	0 3
" Extra Early African , flowers pure white, very double; bulbs ready from September	large bulbs, per 100, 15/-; per doz.	2/6 ...
	monster bulbs ..	3/6 0 4

BARR'S FAMOUS TULIPS.

AWARDED MANY GOLD, SILVER, AND OTHER MEDALS AND PRIZES AT THE LONDON SPRING FLOWER SHOWS.

(See Illustration, page 40, and on back cover.)

Tulips are extremely hardy, and of easy culture, flowering freely in either sunny or shady situations, and developing their handsome showy flowers even in a confined town garden. By a judicious selection of Single, Double, and May-flowering Tulips, a most brilliant display of colours may be maintained in the garden from early April to end of May. In gardens where the flower beds must be kept gay from the earliest dawn of Spring, plant between the Tulips *Scilla sibirica*, *Chionodoxas*, *Snowdrops*, and *Crocuses*; these flower first, and when out of bloom the leaves form a charming green groundwork for the blossoms of the Tulip. Our large breadths of Tulips at the Long Ditton Nurseries in Spring create much comment and elicit the greatest admiration from all who see them. (See Illustration on Back Cover.)

BARR'S EARLY SINGLE TULIPS.

AWARDED FIRST PRIZE AT THE ROYAL BOTANIC SOCIETY'S SPRING EXHIBITION, LONDON, 1898.

Those alone who have massed the different varieties of **Single Tulips** (*planting the bulbs 4 inches apart*) can form an idea of their great beauty and the rich diversity there is in shade and colour, and the grand effect they produce grouped in flower beds or borders. The **Single Tulip** is extensively grown for indoor decoration (three or five bulbs in a pot) and *cultivated in the same way as the Hyacinth* for early flowering and succession.

The varieties of the little early **Duc Van Thol Tulips** (with exception of the *scarlet-edged yellow variety*, which flowers first) bloom together, and are of the same height, which renders them valuable for beds and borders, where a very early Spring display is required, also for early forcing with the Roman Hyacinth, &c.

Hints as to the arrangement of Early Tulips in beds, &c. A difficulty is often experienced by Amateurs in knowing what kind of Tulips to select to bed together, seeing that they are not all the same height, and that some are earlier in flower than others. For the assistance, therefore, of purchasers we have taken special observations at our Nurseries as to the heights and the order in which the **Early Single and Double Tulips** flower.

The Heights we give in inches, and the order of flowering is indicated by (1), (2), (3), (4), or (5) after the name. It will be noticed that the **Double Tulips** generally are a little later-flowering than the Singles. The difference in time of flowering between each number is not great, so that (1) and (2) may be bedded together, also (2) and (3), and so on. The varieties of **Duc Van Thol** are not numbered, as they flower before any of the others.

Arrangement of Colours in Bedding.—The following varieties if bedded together produce charming effects: *Princess Marianne*, *Ophir d'or* and *Wouverman*; *Pottebakker Scarlet*, *Pottebakker White* and *Chrysolora*; *Prince of Austria*, *President Lincoln* and *Chrysolora*; *Rose Grisdeline* and *Princess Marianne*; *Pottebakker Yellow* and *Thomas Moore*; *Chrysolora* and *Dusart*; *Princess Ida* and *Rosamundi*; *Duchesse de Parma* and *Fabiola*; *Rosamundi* and *Rose Superbe*; *Coulcur Cardinal* makes a grand show bedded by itself, but *Snowdrift* goes well with it; *Keizerskroon* makes a fine bed with *Queen Victoria* as an outside border.

Barr's Selections of Early Single Tulips for Outdoor or Pot Culture.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
5 each 30 splendid named vars. ...	15	0	10 each 20 beautiful named vars.	19	6
3 each 30 .. " ..	10	6	5 each 20 .. " ..	10	6
3 each 20 .. " ..	8	6	3 each 20 .. " ..	6	6
3 each 10 .. " ..	3/6 &	4 6	1 each 20 .. " ..	3	0

Barr's Beautiful 'Rainbow' Mixture of Single Tulips. A Special Mixture of bright colours in great variety of shades, made up by ourselves, for those who wish for a brilliant effect in their flower beds and borders; it is a far superior mixture to what is usually sold

per 1000, 42/-; per 100, 4/6.


	p. 100 s. d.	p. doz. s. d.		p. 100 s. d.	p. doz. s. d.
Artus (2), bright deep scarlet, <i>showy</i> , 9 in.	3	0...0	6		
Bacchus (1), rich dark crimson, 10 in.	3	6...0	6		
Bride of Haarlem (3), crimson-scarlet, feathered white, handsome, 8 in.	21	0...3	0		
Brutus Red (3), orange-scarlet edged yellow, dwarf, forces well, 8 in.	3	6...0	6		
Canary Bird (1), fine pure yellow, 11 in.	8	6...1	3		
Cerise Grisdeline (3), purple-cerise, edged white, very beautiful, 10 in.	10	6...1	6		
Chrysolora (2), pure yellow, handsome, 12 in.	6	6...1	0		
Claremont , golden-striped (1), large handsome flower, scarlet and gold, 13 in.	13	6...2	0		
Cottage Maid (2), beautiful rose-pink, 9 in.	10	6...1	6		
Couleur Cardinal (4), crimson-scarlet, a most valuable 'bedder,' 11 in.	6	6...1	0		
Couleur Ponceau (2), pretty glowing cherry-rose, with white flush outside, 10 in.	3	0...0	6		
Crimson King (1), glowing crimson-scarlet, a fine bedder, 9 in. ...	3	0...0	6		
David Teniers , large handsome pure white flowers.	10	6...1	6		
Distinction , rich deep buff-orange, yellow centre, flower of fine cup form	21	0...3	0		
Duc Van Thol , scarlet, edged yellow, 6 in. ...	3	0...0	6		
" brilliant scarlet, 9 in.	3	0...0	6		
" bright yellow, 8 in.	10	6...1	6		
" blush-rose, beautiful, 8 in.	6	6...1	0		
" Cochineal (new), a most brilliant rich vermilion, <i>large and very early</i> , 10 in.	15	0...2	3		
" crimson , 9 in. ...	3	0...0	6		
" maximus , scarlet and orange-yellow, large and handsome, 9 in.	8	6...1	3		
" orange , dark orange, 9 in.	8	6...1	3		
" puro white , 8 in.	10	6...1	6		
" purple - cerise , edged white, distinct and beautiful, 8 in.	3	6...0	6		
Duchesse do Parma (3), bright scarlet, margined and flushed gold, 11 in.	3	6...0	6		
Dusart (2), large brilliant deep vermilion, a magnificent variety, 13 in.	10	6...1	6		
Fabiola (3), rose-violet, striped and feathered white, fine large flower, 10 in.	6	6...1	0		
Golden Prince . See Yellow Prince					
Kathleen , clear white, margined carmine-rose, very showy and beautiful	10	6...1	6		
Keizerskroon (1), rich scarlet, deeply edged bright yellow, a tall handsome Tulip, 14 in.	4	6...0	8		
King of the Yellows (2), soft yellow, flowers well formed, of medium size, 10 in.	17	6...2	6		
Koh-i-Noor (3), a <i>grand variety</i> , large handsome flowers, very dark rich maroon, 11 in.	15	0...2	3		
La Belle Alliance (2), brilliant crimson-scarlet flowers, 9½ in.	5	6...0	10		
La Laitière (2), pure white, flushed azure-blue, distinct and beautiful, 11 in.	10	6...1	6		
La Riante , large bright rose flowers, very beautiful	15	0...2	3		
Miranda , large handsome flower of a brilliant deep carmine-rose, 15 in.	15	0...2	3		
Mon Trésor (1), large bold yellow flower, a grand variety, 12 in.	10	6...1	6		
Nelly (3), immense pure white flowers, a grand variety, 9 in.	12	6...1	9		
Ophir d'Or (2), rich golden yellow, <i>largest</i> and handsomest yellow single Tulip, 12 in.	16	6...2	3		
Pottbakker Pure Yellow (1), <i>selected stock</i> , 14 in.	14	6...2	0		
" Scarlet (2), large and handsome, 12½ in.	7	6...1	3		
" Pure White (1), large and handsome	8	6...1	3		
President Lincoln (2), large flower, glowing purplish-carmine, very effective bedded with yellow, 10½ in.	5	6...0	10		
Princess Ida (2), white, shaded delicate creamy-yellow, very beautiful, 11 in.	15	0...2	3		
Prince of Austria (3), very handsome showy flowers, brick-red shading to buff-orange, sweet-scented and of <i>beautiful form</i> ; should have a place in every garden, 13 in.	12	6...1	9		
Princess Marianne (2), very large broad pure white flower, dying off rose, very beautiful	7	6...1	3		
Proserpine (1), large carmine-rose flowers, magnificent, 13 in.	10	6...1	6		
Queen Victoria (2), white tinged rose, 12 in.	3	0...0	6		
Rose Grisdeline (3), rose flushed white, 9 in.	10	6...1	6		
Rose Luisante (3), rose, large flowers, very beautiful, 9 in.	17	6...2	6		
Rose Superbe (3), beautiful rich full bright rose, 9½ in.	12	6...1	9		
Rosamundi (3), delicate rose-pink, shaded white, beautiful, 10 in.	6	6...1	0		
Sarah Bernhardt (4), immense flowers, deep carmine-rose, flaked white, 10 in.	15	0...2	3		
Scarlet Beauty (2), large bold flower of good substance, fine deep scarlet, 10½ in.	12	6...1	9		

TULIPS (SINGLE)—*continued.*

Silver Standard (2), rich crimson, striped and feathered pure white, 10 in.	6	6...	1	0
Thomas Moore (3), terra-cotta colour with golden flush, beautiful, 16 in.	8	6...	1	3
Van der Neer (2), rich violet, very handsome, large flower, 10 in.	4	6...	0	8
Van Vondel (2), crimson-scarlet, flushed white, handsome large flower, 12 in.	6	6...	1	0

		p. 100	p. doz.
		s. d.	s. d.
Vermilion Brilliant (2), dazzling scarlet, splendid, 10 in.	14	6...	9
Vesuvius (2), dark rich vermilion-scarlet, very handsome, <i>early</i> , 14 in.	8	6...	1 3
White Swan (3), very fine pure white large globular flowers, 15 in.	6	6...	1 10
Wouwerman (2), dark rich claret-purple, fine handsome, flowers, 10½ in.	4	6...	0 8
Yellow Prince (2), rich pure yellow, a <i>splendid variety for bedding</i> , sweet-scented, 10½ in.	6	6...	1 0

New, Rare and Very Beautiful Early Single Tulips.

 All of great beauty, and we confidently recommend them for in- or out-door decoration.

		per doz.
	s. d.	
Boule d'Or , handsome large soft yellow flower	each, 8d.	7 6
Bride of Haarlem Golden (3), rich scarlet, shot with gold, handsome		4s. 6
Brunehilde , a lovely variety, very large flower with broad petals, white flushed soft yellow		4 6
Duc de Malakoff , rich scarlet, flushed gold at margin, large handsome flower with broad petals	each, 8d.	7 6
Grace Darling (1), very large flower with broad petals, fiery scarlet, 12 in...each 1/-		10 6
Lac Dorée , the flower opens a dark cerise, with broad snow-white margin; from this, it changes to beautiful gold and scarlet	each, 9d.	8 6

	per doz.
Le Matelas (1), deep rose, edged white, very beautiful and early	3 6
Primrose Queen , well-formed flowers, of a beautiful primrose-yellow, very distinct.....	4 6
Queen of the Netherlands , out of the most lovely of all Tulips; flowers of great size and beautiful globular form, colour pale soft rose flushed white, ca. 1/3	12 0
Roi Pepin , white, striped red, handsome	3 6
Rose Queen , large elegant flower, brilliant glowing rose, outside flushed silvery white	7 6
Snowdrift (new) (3), large pure white flowers of handsome form, 10 in.	3 6
Van Yondel, white (2), the finest and handsomest pure white Tulip ..cach, 6d.	5 6

BARR'S DOUBLE TULIPS.

Double Tulips have massive flowers of brilliant and beautifully diversified colours, and are very effective in beds on lawns, terraces, &c., also as edgings to beds of Roses and Rhododendrons and to shrubberies. Planted in groups of five or more, they are very attractive. *Plant the bulbs four to six inches apart.*

Time of Flowering.—The numbers in brackets after the name indicate the order of flowering, and will assist amateurs in making their selections for bedding, thus :—(1) corresponds in time of flowering with (1) of the **Single Tulips** ; (2) corresponds with (2) of the **Single Tulips**, and so on. The heights, as registered at our Nurseries, are given in inches. By a judicious selection of **Double** and **Single Tulips**, a display of brilliant colours may be maintained in the garden for a long period.

Double Tulips should be planted three bulbs in a pot, and receive the same cultural treatment as the Hyacinth.

Barr's Selections for Outdoors or Pot-Culture.

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	s.	d.
3 each 12 splendid varieties	4	6
1 " 12 " " " "	2	0

Barr's Beautiful 'Rainbow' Mixture of Double Tulips.—A Special Mixture of beautiful and bright colours made up by ourselves, and will be found **far superior** to the ordinary Dutch mixtures for brilliant effect in beds and borders; they last long in beauty, and form a valuable succession to the Early Single Tulips, per 1000, 50/-; per 100, 5/6.

Very Early Dwarf Double Duc Van Thol, red, margined yellow. These *very early* dwarf little Tulips are useful for edgings, and broad marginal lines; also for forcing with the **Single Duc Van Thol** Tulips, p. 100, 3/6; per doz. 6*d.*

" " " **orange-red shaded carmine**, p. 100, 3/6; p. doz. 6*d.*

	per 100	per doz.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Agnes (4), large brilliant glowing scarlet, very dwarf, and a <i>valuable</i> <i>bedder</i> , 8 in.	9	6...1 6
Alba maxima (4), beautiful large creamy-white, with yellow centre, 12 in.	9	6...1 6
Blanche Rosette (3), white, scattered rose-carmine, beautiful, 13 in.	17.	6...2 6
Blue Flag (5), very large flowers, soft mauve-purple, handsome, 21 in.	7	6...1 3

		per 100 per doz.			
		s.	d.	s.	d.
Couronne de Cerise (3), dark rich cherry-rose, very beautiful, 12 in.		8	6	1	3
Empress , large handsome flowers, rosy purple with yellow centre.....	10	6	1	6	
Gloria Solis (1), scarlet, deeply edged with bright yellow, showy and early, 12 in. ...per 1000, 30/-	3	6	0	6	
Imperator Rubrorum (2), rich glowing scarlet, beautiful, 12 in.	10	6	1	6	

TULIPS (DOUBLE)—*contd.*

	per 100		per doz.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
La Candeur (4), pure white, good bedder, 11 in.	per 1000,	30/-	3	6...0 6
La Citadelle (4), rich deep orange-scarlet, margined gold, very showy, 13 in.			6	6...1 0
Lady Palmerston (2), a lovely rose-pink, 11 in.			15	0...2 3
Leo XIII. (1), very large glowing scarlet, with yellow centre, remarkably showy, <i>early</i> , 11 in.			15	0...2 3
L'Innocence (2), beautiful snow-white, and a valuable bedder to associate with <i>Imperator Rubrorum</i> , 12 in.			10	6...1 6
Marriage de ma Fille (6), beautiful pure white, striped brilliant cherry-crimson, <i>tall and late</i> , 18 in.			14	6...2 0
Murillo (3), delicate rose, flushed white, very beautiful, 11 in.			10	6...1 6
Orange King (5), yellow tinged red, of fine form, <i>late</i> , 12 in.			8	6...1 3
Overwinnaar (6), white, striped crimson-violet, very handsome, <i>tall and late</i> , 17 in.			6	6...1 0
Pæony Gold-Striped (6), rich dark red striped golden, handsome, <i>dwarf and late</i>			7	6...1 3

	per 100		per doz.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
Rex Rubrorum (4), brilliant crimson-scarlet, splendid, 11 in.				
	per 1000,	75/-	8	6...1 3
Rosalie (2), very beautiful glowing salmon-rose, with yellow centre, <i>semi-double</i> , 10 in.			9	6...1 6
Rose Blanche (4), the purest and best double white Tulip, 10 in.				
	per 1000,	55/-	6	6...1 0
Rubra maxima (2), a fine dark crimson-vernilion, large flower, 9 in.			10	6...1 6
Salvator Rosa (2), beautiful rose-pink, 11 in.			15	0...2 3
The Moor (3), rich dark maroon, handsome, 13 in.			6	6...1 0
Tournesol (1), scarlet, broadly edged yellow, very large flower, very beautiful, <i>early</i>			8	6...1 3
Tournesol Yellow (1), yellow, flushed orange, very large flowers, very fine, <i>early</i> , 12 in.			17	6...2 6
Yellow Rose (6), very beautiful pure yellow sweet-scented flowers, <i>late</i> , 14 in.			4	6...0 8

Beautiful Choice and Rare Double Tulips.

These are all handsome and of great beauty, and we can recommend them for very select flower beds, borders, and pot-culture.

Selections—6 each of 12 of the following choice Double Tulips, 30/-; 3 each, 16/-

	per doz.		each	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
Bride of Lammermoor (4), a very beautiful flower, white, flushed rose, of Camellia form, 12 in.	6	6...0	7	
Couronne des Roses (3), beautiful rich brilliant rose	4	6...0	5	
El Toreador (3), large bright scarlet, broadly margined buff-yellow ...	4	6...0	5	
Enchantress , brilliant crimson-rose, whitish centre, beautiful	5	6...0	6	
Fire King , large fiery orange-scarlet, <i>semi-double</i> , very showy ...	3	6...0	4	
Gladstone , fine glowing deep cherry-scarlet	6	6...0	8	
Henry Witte (3), large rich orange-scarlet, margined golden-yellow, <i>full double</i> , 11 in.	4	6...0	5	
Lac d'Haarlem (2), large purplish-rose, beautiful, 9½ in.	4	6...0	5	
La Grandesse (3), beautiful large rose, slightly flushed white, 10 in.	6	6...0	8	
La Parfaite , light yellow, scarlet base, showy and distinct	7	6...0	9	

	per doz.		each	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
La Vertu (4), white, deeply feathered rose, 11 in.	3	6...0	4	
Minnie Hawk , large glowing carmine-rose, beautiful	5	6...0	6	
Prince of Wales , large handsome flower, rich deep cherry-crimson, 10 in.	4	6...0	5	
Queen Emma , brilliant deep cherry-rose	7	6...0	9	
Queen of the Whites , pure white, fine cup-shaped flowers	5	6...0	6	
Rose d'Amour , of a lovely form and colour, pale flesh-rose.	10	6...1	0	
Rosea Perfecta , large flowers of a lovely rose and white, regular pointed petals, distinct	7	6...0	8	
Vuurbaak (2), brilliant fiery orange scarlet, 8½ in.	3	6...0	4	
William III. (2), very large flowers, glowing fiery scarlet, 12 in.	3	6...0	4	

Variegated-leaved Tulips.—FOR BEDS, EDGINGS, AND BORDERS.

These are all of great beauty, the handsome variegated foliage providing a decoration from early Spring to Summer. The flowers also are handsome and showy.

Selection of 8 beautiful varieties, 3 bulbs of each, 5/-.

	per doz.		each	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
Cottage Maid , foliage beautifully variegated. flowers single, rose-pink, 9 in.	4	6...0	6	
La Belle Alliance , foliage broadly silver-margined, flowers single, scarlet, 9½ in.	4	6...0	6	
Lac Van Rhyn , large handsome foliage, broadly silver-margined, flowers single, rosy violet with white margin, 10 in.	1	0...0	2	
La Candeur , very effective, foliage with a broad silvery band, flowers double, white, 11 in.	3	6...0	4	
Purple Crown , foliage with well-defined yellow edge, flowers single, dark maroon, 10 in.	1	0...0	2	
Silver Standard , foliage with a fine silvery margin, flowers single, crimson and white, 10 in.	2	6...0	3	
Thorbecke , very effective, foliage green margined creamy white, flowers single, white ...	2	6...0	3	
Yellow Prince , very beautiful, foliage broadly margined chrome on a bright green, flowers single, yellow, 10½ in.	5	6...0	6	

BARR'S MAY-FLOWERING SINGLE 'COTTAGE' TULIPS.

SHOWY AND BEAUTIFUL FORMS OF TULIPA GESNERIANA, AND OTHER SPECIES.

(See Illustration, page 40.)

The name **Cottage Tulips** we have given to the following varieties on account of many of them being found occasionally in very old cottage gardens throughout England, Scotland, and Ireland, where they have been in some cases growing for over fifty years. They are all very beautiful, and on account of their great hardiness are specially adapted for permanent borders, where they should be freely planted in large clumps and masses. They may also be naturalised in grass, wild gardens, &c., where in the early part of May they present a gorgeous appearance. Those who have visited **Kew Gardens** in Spring will have seen these Tulips planted freely in grass, and also used largely in filling large flower beds on the lawns.

For cutting they are greatly prized, as the stems are long and a free graceful effect can be readily obtained by their use.

In most cases we give the heights as registered at our **Long Ditton Nurseries**.

In time of flowering, *Elegans* and *Picotee* open first, followed by *Fulgens*, *Golden Beauty*, *Billietiana*, *Golden Crown*, *Gesneriana*, *Macrosphila*, *Goldflake*, *Buenaventura*, &c., and the gorgeous **Parrot Tulips** and grand **Darwin Tulips**.

	per doz.	each		per doz.	each			
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.			
Acuminata (<i>syn. cornuta</i>), yellow and red streaked, fantastic thread-like petals, 17 in.	2	0...0	3	Fulgens , rich showy crimson, tall, 20 in.	per 100, 7/6			
Annie , offered for the first time, flowers of a beautiful rich deep golden and <i>very late</i> , a great beauty	21	0...2	0	Gala Beauty (<i>syn. Columbus</i>), blotched vermilion and golden yellow, very handsome large showy flower. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.	per 100, 15/-			
Billietiana , yellow, shaded red, showy, 19 in.	per 100, 10/6	1	6...0	2	Gesneriana spathulata (<i>syn. G. major</i>), large rich crimson-scarlet, with glittering blue-black centre; a <i>superb</i> variety for distant effect massed in beds and borders, tall, 24 in.	per 100, 45/-; per 100, 5/-		
„ nana , a pretty dwarf form of the above	per 100, 10/6	1	6...0	2	„ rosea , deep rose-carmine, dark blue centre.	per 100, 6/6		
Bridesmaid , cherry-rose, flaked and suffused white, beautiful, 18 in.	per 100, 5/6	0	10... ..		Goldflake , bright orange-scarlet, flaked gold, <i>very showy</i> , 17 in.	per 100, 15/-		
Buenaventura , scarlet and gold flaked, handsome, a fine dwarf bedder, 12 in.	per 100, 15/-	2	3...0	3	Golden Beauty (<i>syn. Bouton d'Or</i>), the richest and <i>deepest</i> golden-coloured Tulip, 17 in. Certificate of Merit R.B.S., 1897	per 100, 8/6		
Carinata rubra , a curious combination of crimson and green, 12 in.	per 100, 5/6	0	10... ..		Golden Crown (erroneously called Golden Eagle), large yellow flowers, edged crimson, pointed petals, very showy, 16 in., per 100, 4/6	0	8... ..	
Chameleon , pale plum colour, blotched maroon and shading to canary-yellow, <i>striking and beautiful</i> , 21 in.	7	6...0	8	Haageri , dark brick-red, black and yellow centre, very attractive, 16 in.	4	6...0	5	
Coquette de Belleville , cherry colour, deeply margined and flaked white, beautiful	5	6...0	6	Isabella (<i>syn. Blushing Bride</i>), a remarkably beautiful and striking flower with long pointed petals, pale primrose broadly margined and flushed brilliant rose	3	6...0	4	
Dainty Maid , white ground beautifully marked rosy lilac, fine decorative variety	per 100, 10/6	1	6...0	2	La Panachée , striped and blotched cherry-crimson on a creamy white ground, very showy	4	6...0	5
Didieri , bright crimson-vermilion, indigo and primrose centre, 20 in.	per 100, 8/6	1	6...0	2	Macrosphila , large handsome glowing crimson-scarlet, centre black and yellow, <i>very fragrant</i> , 19 in. Certificate of Merit R.B.S., 1897	per 100, 6/6	1	0... ..
„ alba , a pretty creamy white, fragrant, 15 in.	5	6...0	6	Maculata , brilliant deep crimson, with black and yellow centre ...	per 100, 15/-	2	3...0	3
„ lutescens , pale satiny yellow with greenish centre ....	... ..	1	3	„ 'Brilliant' , a remarkably deep crimson, dwarf, per 100, 17/6	2	6...0	3	
Elefants (<i>true</i>), large dark crimson flowers, petals elegantly reflexed, 14 in., per 100, 10/6	1	6...0	2	Parisian Yellow , large handsome clear yellow flowers with pointed petals, very attractive, per 100, 15/-	2	3...0	3	
„ variegata , crimson striped gold, a large, showy, handsome flower, 14 in.	per 100, 10/6	1	6...0	2				
„ alba , rare and beautiful, large white reflexed petals thinly edged carmine, 21 in. Award of Merit R.H.S.	15	0...1	5					
Faerie Queen , a unique and beautiful variety, large flowers, rosy heliotrope, broadly margined yellow	6	0...0	8					
Firebrand , brilliant scarlet, 20 in.	3	6...0	4					
Flava , a tall noble Tulip, with large soft lemon-yellow flowers	18	0...1	9					

TULIPS (COTTAGE)—*contd.*
Picotee (*syn.* **Maiden's Blush**), large white gracefully recurved petals, margined rose, very elegant, 18 in. (*See Illustration, page 40.*) One of the prettiest 'Cottage' Tulips, and for cutting invaluable
 per 100, 10/6 1 6... 2

Platystigma, evidently a parent of the Parrot Tulips, which occasionally revert back to this species. The flowers are showy, flesh rose with orange tinge, petals pointed, 17 in.per 100, 21/- 3 0... 4

Retroflexa, beautifully yellow flowers, petals elegantly recurved, 17 in. (*See illus. page 40*) ...per 100, 10/6 1 6... 2

Ruby, a pretty dark ruby colour, 23 in. 4 6... 5

Rose Queen, beautiful clear cherry-rose, with clear white base, 21 in.
 per 100, 15/- 2 3... 3

Striped Beauty, rose, flaked deep crimson and white, large and showy 20 in. **Floral Certificate R.B.S.** 3 6... 4
Sweet Nancy, white thinly edged pink, blue base, 18 in., per 100, 15/- 2 6... 3
Sylvestris (*syn.* **Florentina**), fragrant graceful yellow flowers, *fine for naturalising*, 18 in.per 100, 6/6 1 0... ..
 ,, **major**, a robust-growing variety with larger flowers, distinct 3 6... 4
Viridiflora, green, edged yellow 1 6... 2
 ,, **præcox**, splendid large flowers, green and pale yellow..... 7 6... 8
Vitellina, large pale primrose flowers of great beauty, 22 in. **Award of Merit R.H.S.** (*See Illustration, page 40.*)..... 10 6... 1 0
Zomerschoon, a most lovely Tulip with large handsome flowers, salmon-rose, deeply flaked white 3 6

BARR'S BEAUTIFUL MIXTURE OF COTTAGE TULIPS for naturalising in wild gardens, grass land, &c.per 1000, 65/-; per 100, 7/6 1 3... ..

PARROT. or DRAGON TULIPS, with Lacinated Petals (May-flowering).

These Parrot, or Dragon Tulips, have large characteristic blossoms with curiously lacinated petals, and richly varied shades of beautiful colours in the same flower. They are very remarkable and exceedingly showy and effective in flower borders, while if grown in hanging baskets the drooping flowers look like orchids. In height they average about 15 inches.

The following are all selected extra strong bulbs, superior to what are usually sold, and may reasonably be expected to bloom, but as there is an unaccountable uncertainty in the flowering of Parrot Tulips, when used for filling beds plant closer together than in the case of other tulips, say 2 to 3 inches apart.

12 bulbs each of the 6 Parrot Tulips described below, 10s. 6d.; 6 each, 5s. 6d.

Admiral de Constantinople, glossy scarlet shaded and tipped orange, showy
 per 100, 10/6 1 6

Coffee-Colour, shaded reddish brown on a yellow ground, slightly striped crimson and green.....per 100, 12/6 1 9

Crimson Beauty, rich deep blood-crimson, with blackish markings, flowers of immense size and very handsome; this variety should be largely used in beds, borders, and baskets, as nearly every bulb flowers freely and produces a most brilliant effect. (*See Illustration, page 40.*) *Certificate of Merit R.B.S., 1897.*
 per 1000, 55/-; per 100, 6/6 1 0

Fire King, a fine new variety, dark scarlet, striped gold, distinct and handsome... 4 6

Large Yellow, pure yellow, slightly striped crimson and green, showy
 per 100, 10/6 1 6

Perfecta, golden-yellow, heavily blotched rich deep scarlet, a showy and beautiful flower.....per 100, 10/6 1 6

Barr's Splendid Mixed from named sorts, containing a good variety of colours strong bulbs, per 1000, 75/-; per 100, 8/6 1 3

BARR'S GRAND DARWIN TULIPS (May-flowering).

As grown at their Long Ditton Nurseries and exhibited at the London May Flower Shows, where their grand stately flowers elicit the admiration of all. (*See Illustration, page 40.*)

For flower beds and borders we confidently recommend the following Darwin Tulips for their stately bearing and rich colours. They have been specially selected as being distinct, showy, and beautiful, so that buyers need have no hesitation in choosing the colours they require as they are all good. The cut flowers form an elegant decoration for vases, and last a long time in water.

We have given the heights in inches, as registered at our Nurseries this last Spring.

SELECTIONS OF NAMED VARIETIES.

5 each of 20 beautiful varieties.....35/-
3 " 20 " "23/-
1 " 20 " " 8/6

5 each of 12 beautiful varieties, 15/- & 25/-
3 " 12 " " 10/6 & 16/6
1 " 12 " " 4/6 & 6/-

Apricot, deep apricot shaded yellow, large flower, 25 in.per doz. each 5 6... 6
Bronze King, large golden bronze, 24 in. 5 6... 6
Carmine, glowing carmine-rose, tall and very fine, 23 in. 2 6... 3
Coquette, rich soft rose margined blush, very pretty, 23 in. 7 6... 8
Cordelia, glowing violet-crimson, very distinct and handsome, 24 in. 2 6... 3
Dorothy, pale mauve, shaded white, very pretty, *late-flowering*, 19 in. **Certificate of Merit R.B.S., 1897**per 100, 15/- 2 3... 3

DARWIN TULIPS—continued.

	per doz.	each
s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.
Early Dawn , rosy lake, shaded blush, 25 in. Certificate of Merit R.B.S., 1897.....	2	6...0 3
Flambeau , brilliant scarlet with blue centre, 24 ins.....	2	3...0 3
Glow , brilliant glowing vermilion, centre blue margined white, 23 in. Certificate of Merit R.B.S., 1897	3	6...0 4
Gipsy Queen , large handsome dark maroon, tall grower, 26 in.	10	6...1 0
Hecla , very deep crimson-maroon, fine cup-shaped flower, handsome, 25 in.	3	6...0 4
Joseph Chamberlain , large brilliant cherry-scarlet, 21 in.	2	3...0 3
Loveliness , lovely bright glowing satiny rose, margined blush, an exquisite colour, 22 in. Certificate of Merit R.B.S., 1897	4	6...0 5
May Queen , large and beautiful soft rose, tall grower, 25 in.	10	6...1 0
Peter Barr , very dark rich maroon, large flower, 22 in.	7	6...0 8
Phyllis , white, shaded pale rose-lilac, 20 in. ....per 100, 17/6	2	6...0 3
Purple King , bold globular flowers ruby-purple, white centre	4	6...0 6
Queen of Brilliants , large deep full rose, shaded scarlet, 26 in.	10	6...1 0
Queen of Roses , pretty full bright carmine-rose, 23 in.	2	6...0 3
Salmon King , rich deep glowing salmon-rose, shaded scarlet, 20 in. Certificate of Merit R.B.S., 1897.....	6	6...0 8
The Shah , rich dark cherry-rose, of perfect form, tall grower, 24 in.....	15	0...1 6
The Sultan , this may almost be called the Black Tulip , flowers of handsome form and a rich glossy maroon-black, 23 in. Award of Merit by the R.H.S., May 5th, 1896.	10	6...1 0
Violet Queen , large rich ruby-violet, 21 in.	2	6...0 3
White Queen , when in bud a soft rosy white, but expanding into a beautiful creamy white, a very charming variety, flower large, 22 in.	15	0...1 6
Zephyr , pretty soft violet-rose with large white centre, 22 in.	4	6...0 5
Barr's Beautiful Mixture of Darwin Tulips, in various brilliant colours, including the two beautiful Cottage Tulips <i>Golden Beauty</i> and <i>Gesneriana spathulata</i>, which we find considerably enhance the effect when mixed amongst the Darwin Tulips. These make a grand show when massed in flower beds or borders, and we can confidently recommend them to all, per 100, 10/6; p. doz....		
	1	6... ..

RARE AND BEAUTIFUL SPECIES OF TULIPS.

Many of the following **Tulip Species** are *rare* and *little known* as yet. They are full of beauty and interest, and will be appreciated by all lovers of hardy bulbous plants. Those species marked † are perfect gems for choice corners in the rock garden, where their lovely flowers will delight the eyes of all who see them. **Greigii** is a grand species with immense gorgeous flowers and large bold spotted foliage; it should be grown in full sun, where the bulbs can get a good roasting in Summer. **Persica** is of great value for edgings and for filling small beds. They are all remarkably distinct from one another in habit and flower.

	per doz.	each
s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.
Australis , yellow, outside bronze, 16 in.	3	6...0 4
† Batalini , beautiful soft chrome, centre yellow, dainty prostrate foliage, very free-flowering, a dainty little gem, 8 in. ....	...	...2 3
† Biflora , producing on branching stems many lovely small cream-coloured flowers, <i>early</i> .....	...	...1 0
† Clusiana (The Lady Tulip) , white, striped red, with violet centre, beautiful, 8 in., very hardy ...	3	6...0 4
† Eichleri , very large, handsome, brilliant scarlet flowers, <i>early</i> , 10 in. ....	...	...2 6
† Greigii , large brilliantly coloured flowers, orange-scarlet to golden-yellow, with black-spotted centre, foliage beautifully spotted, handsome, 9 in.	5	6...0 6
† Kolpakowskiana , large handsome brilliant vermilion, black centre, 20 in. ....	...	...2 6
† Lanata (true) , large beautiful scarlet, 8 in. ....	...	...1 6
† Leichtlini , white inside, outside bright coral-red, very pretty.....	...	...1 6
† Linifolia , beautiful dwarf species with glowing scarlet flowers, 7 in... ..	...	...1 9
† Orphanidea , from Greece, bright orange-yellow with black centre ...	5	6...0 6
Præcox (erroneously called Oculus Solis), crimson with black centre per 100, 15/-	2	3...0 3
Præcox Dammanni , large handsome brilliant scarlet with large pointed black blotches in centre, 17 in.	7	6...0 8
† Persica (The Persian Tulip) , several flowers borne on branched stems, inside brilliant yellow, outside golden bronze, very fragrant, habit dwarf, a gem for edgings and the rock garden, very hardy and free-flowering.....per 100, 6/6	1	0... ..
† Pulchella , charming little species with cherry-rose-coloured flowers... ..	7	6...0 9
† Saxatilis , rose, with bright yellow eye, very beautiful. Award of Merit R.H.S. 11 in.....	...	...1 6
† Strangulata , soft canary-yellow, centre more or less with black markings, outer petals faintly flushed rose, 15 in., collected from the <i>Val d'Arno</i>	12	0...1 2
† Suaveolens , large brilliant scarlet, very handsome, foliage covered with down .....	...	...2 6
† Undulatifolia , pretty bright red flowers, 6 in.	3	6...0 4
„ Boissieri , scarlet, centre black and yellow, 6 in.....	...	...0 9
† Violacea (new) , the earliest of all Tulips, flowers brilliant deep carmine-red, dwarf and beautiful, 6 in. ....	...	...2 6

BARR'S BEAUTIFUL 'GOLD MEDAL' ENGLISH TULIPS.**MAY-FLOWERING.****Awarded Three Gold Medals by the Royal National Tulip Society,
1896, 1897, and 1898.**

These Beautiful English Tulips we can confidently recommend to amateurs for select places in the garden, and for massing in flower beds and borders. They form a valuable succession to the Early Tulips, while for symmetry of form and beauty of marking they far surpass them.

Our Long Ditton Collection of English Tulips is the largest one in existence and well worth a visit in May, when the flowers may be seen in all their beauty.

☞ To those who wish to know all about the English Tulip, we recommend 'The English Tulip,' a little pamphlet containing the lectures delivered on this flower at the Great Tulip Conference of the Royal National Tulip Society, held at Royal Botanic Society's Gardens, May 12th, 1897—namely, 'The History and the Properties of the Florist Tulip,' by J. W. BENTLEY; 'Seed and Seedlings of the Florist Tulip,' by the Rev. F. D. HORNER; 'The Cultivation of the Florist Tulip,' by C. W. NEEDHAM. Price 1/6.

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THE FEAST OF THE TULIP.

After an interval of fifty years, a great TULIP SHOW and CONFERENCE is to be held to-morrow and Thursday in the Royal Botanic Gardens, Regent's Park. This is only one sign of a revival of interest in the flower which has as romantic a history as any plant all the world over. Another sign of a mild repetition of the Tulip craze of three centuries ago is the fact that Tulip feasts, dances, and dinners are quite the fashion, and that at last week's Drawing Room, Tulips were among the most popular flowers, both in their natural state, in bouquets, as dress ornaments, and in fanciful designs woven into the magnificent brocades of the Court trains.

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Just now the worship of the Tulip in this country is becoming general. That this should be so among Londoners and in Suburbia is probably due to a wonderful object-lesson which Messrs. Barr & Sons, the firm of bulb-growers whose name is honourably known among florists and flower-lovers all the world over, are giving at present at their LONG DITTON NURSERIES. The surroundings of London, miles further out than pretty Surbiton and Long Ditton, are the happy wheeling ground of armies of cyclists. They, and those who go up and down by the South-Western trains, have marvellous tales to tell.

Among the green fields where the grass is rich and high and starred with golden buttercups, among the hedges bursting into sweet white May-bloom, under the avenues of old elms and planes and oaks, there are spread out under the blue sky great stretches of living Oriental carpets. The designs, the colours, the look of richness and depth, are all there; but did ever master weaver or dyer work in shades so luminously beautiful as these? The sun, which otherwise sucks the colour out of a carpet, flushes these acres of crimson and purple and gold with colour notes, dreamt of as something unattainable in art. And day by day, as Spring unfolds her royal robes, these Tulip gardens grow into still greater beauty, and when 10,000 blossoms, their blooming-time being over, softly drop their petals, 10,000 others have arisen to continue the charm and spell of the scene.

A short Extract from the DAILY NEWS, May 14th, 1897.

TULIP SHOW AT THE ROYAL BOTANIC GARDENS.—. . . The great feature of the exhibition, however, was the fine collection of Tulips, running nearly the whole length of the corridor, shown by MESSRS. BARR & SONS, of Covent Garden. This at once obtained the GOLD MEDAL of the National Tulip Society, and the SILVER MEDAL of the Royal Botanic Society. Here were to be seen some of the finest Tulips grown this season. One section was devoted to ENGLISH TULIPS raised in years past by famous growers, and differing from all Dutch Tulips in having more perfect form and colour. They were certainly flowers that delighted fanciers or specialists. Another section was composed of DARWIN TULIPS, which have never been known to break into 'flamed' or 'feathered' varieties. In a third section were the PARROT TULIPS, while a fourth included the COTTAGE TULIPS, mostly of the old English garden variety. These and other blooms made up a collection which, for variety and perfection, is seldom seen.

A SPECIAL PRIZE FOR ENGLISH TULIPS, 1899

Offered by us to be competed for at the

ROYAL BOTANIC SOCIETY'S SHOW, MAY 17th, 1899.

A BEAUTIFUL SILVER CUP

Specially designed by H. G. MOON.

Particulars of Competition can be had on application.

CULTURE.—Any good loamy garden soil suits the 'English Tulip.' The bulbs should be planted three inches deep and four inches apart, from the end of October to early in November, choosing a day when the ground is in nice friable condition; avoid planting when the ground is wet.

TULIPS (ENGLISH)—*contd.*

	each—s.	d.
Sir W. Hardinge , handsome heavy brown beam on bright lemon ground, extra	3	6
Sulphur (Birtwistle), mahogany-brown on yellow, delightfully sweet-scented, doz.	3/6	0 4
extra fine flamed strain	1	0
extra fine feathered strain	2	6

	each—s.	d.
Sunbeam , chocolate-brown on gold, dwarf	0	6
Tippoo Tib , very distinct, with broad chocolate-black beam on lemon-yellow ground	2	6
William Wilson , crimson-bronze on yellow	1	0

BIZARRES, BREEDERS OR SELF-COLOURED.

These flowered this season in various self-shades of red, crimson, scarlet, maroon, chestnut, &c., with a stainless yellow centre or base; they may, however, at any time become *rectified*, breaking into a variegation.

	each—s.	d.
Criterion , crimson-maroon...per doz.	7/6	0 9
Dr. Hardy , rich mahogany-brown, a handsome flower, very scarce	10	6
Excelsior , self-brown...per doz.	3/6	0 4
Goldfinder , bright scarlet, clear rich yellow base, extra fine	21	0
Helen Fawcett , maroon-brown, fine short-petalled variety	3	6
James Wild , deep olive-brown, very handsome	1	6
John Heap , bright orange-scarlet, edged gold	4/6	0 6
King , dark maroon-brown, large and handsome	0	6
Lord Frederick Cavendish , bright mahogany-brown, large and handsome	5/6	0 6

	each—s.	d.
Lord Stanley , rich deep maroon, short-petalled flower, of fine form	2	6
Masterpiece , golden-brown...per doz.	5/6	0 6
Richard Yates , a very pretty scarlet-maroon...per doz.	5/6	0 6
Sam Barlow , very scarce, large rich mahogany-brown	21	0
Sir Joseph Paxton , dark chocolate-brown...per doz.	7/6	0 9
Storer's No. 1 , mahogany-brown, small flower, strongly bee-bread-scented	2	6
Sulphur (Birtwistle), light olive-brown, an æsthetic shade, very sweetly scented	5/6	0 6
William Lea , rich glossy maroon-black, very handsome	1	6
William Mellor , light brown	1	0
William Wilson , golden-brown	5/6	0 6

BYBLÆMEN, RECTIFIED OR VARIEGATED.

Colours—black, violet, purple, to pale lilac or lavender on a clear white ground, with a stainless white centre or base.

	each—s.	d.
Adonis , purple and black on white, <i>fine strain</i>	1	6
Agnes , dark purple on white	0	6
Bessie , brilliant purple on white, dwarf	4/6	0 6
Bienfait Incomparable , purple, black on white	0	6
Black Diamond , glittering black on white, tall	2	6
David Jackson , black on white, colour heavy	1	0
Duchess of Sutherland , lilac on white	1	6
Friar Tuck , purple on white, markings very fine	2	6
George Hardwicke , violet and glistening black on white	3	6
Glory of Stakehill , rich purple on white, large flower	1	6
Holmes' King , very faintly marked, pale lilac on white, tall and large-flowered	1	6
King of the Universe , fine large flower, black on white	3	6
Lord Denman , puce-purple on white, flowers beautifully marked, a grand variety for massing in beds and borders	2/3	0 3

	each—s.	d.
Mrs. Jackson , black on white, fine short-petalled flower, extra fine	2	6
Mrs. Pickerell , deep plum-purple on white	0	6
Pandora , fine heavy violet beam on white ground, pretty	1	6
Prince Leopold , rosy purple on white	2	6
Princess Royal , crimson-black on white, late	0	6
Proserpine , lightly feathered black on white, of perfect form, extra fine	3	6
Pick-Me-Out , shining chocolate-crimson on white, with glittering white base	0	6
Queen of May , dark crimson on white	4/6	0 6
Salvator Rosa , purple-black on white, extra	0	9
Talisman , violet-black on white, very showy	3/6	0 4
„ extra finely marked strain	1	6
Wedding Coat , feathered black on a dazzling white ground, charming	5	6

BYBLÆMEN, BREEDERS OR SELF-COLOURED.

These flowered this season in the various self-shades as described, all having a stainless dazzling white centre or base; they may, however, at any time become *rectified*, breaking into a variegation.

	each—s.	d.
Adonis , rich violet-purple, handsome	2	6
Agnes , rich purple, large and handsome	7/6	0 9
Ashmole's 114 , light heliotrope, champagne-glass-shaped	1	6
George Hardwicke , deep heliotrope, fine	2	6
Glory of Stakehill , deep red-purple, large flower	2	6
Leach's No. 1 , pale lilac, of beautiful form	3	6

	each—s.	d.
Leach's No. 2 , dark purple	2	6
Martin's 117 , fine soft heliotrope, extra fine	1	6
Miss Foster , lilac, flushed fawn, distinct	2	6
Miss Hardy , light purple, large flower	2	6
Music , large purple, of fine form, very handsome	5	6
Philip I. , lovely heliotrope, of fine form	1	0
Storer's No. 19 , deep purple	1	6
Talisman , slaty purple	1	0

TULIPS (ENGLISH)—*continued.***ROSES, RECTIFIED OR VARIEGATED.**

Colours—delicate pinks and soft roses of shades to the most glowing scarlets and deepest crimsons on a pure white ground, with a stainless dazzling white centre.

	each—s.	d.		each—s.	d.
Aglaia , rose on white per doz.	3/6	0 4	Kate Connor , feathered rose on white...	0	9
Alice , crimson-rose on white, dwarf.....	1	6	Lord Derby , brilliant rose-scarlet on white	per doz.	3/6 0 4
Anastasia , rich crimson on white, tall ...	0	6	Mabel , beautiful rose on white ,,	3/6	0 4
Annie McGregor , brilliant rose-scarlet on white	1	0	extra finely flamed strain.....	1	6
Comte de Vergennes , rosy purple on white	0	6	a beautiful feathered strain.....	3	6
Flora McIvor , brilliant rose-scarlet on white	1	6	Modesty , beautiful soft rose on white	1	6
Heroine , deep rose on white...per doz.	5/6	0 6	Mrs. Lee , feathered, rich scarlet-cerise on white	3	6
Industry , bright scarlet-cerise on white per doz.	3/6	0 4	Sylph , rose on white	2	6
			Triomphe Royale , deep rose on white per doz.	5/6	0 6

ROSES, BREEDERS OR SELF-COLOURED.

These flowered this season in beautiful self-shades of rose, crimsons, and scarlets, with a stainless dazzling white centre; they may, however, at any time become *rectified*, breaking into a variegation

	each—s.	d.
Annie McGregor , deep rose-scarlet, of fine form and lovely colour.....	1	6
Hepworth's Rose , beautiful light rose	5	6
Industry , intense scarlet-cerise.....per doz.	7/6	0 9
Kate Connor , lovely clear soft rose	1	0
Lady Constance Grosvenor , a lovely cerise-rose colour, flower of exquisite form.....	3	6
Lord Derby , brilliant rose-scarlet	per doz.	5/6 0 6
Mabel , beautiful soft rose	1	0
Modesty , clear rose.....	2	6
Rose Hill , deep carmine-rose, large dazzling white base	5	6

OLD DUTCH FLORISTS' TULIPS.**Bizarres, Byblœmens, and Roses, all Rectified.**

These Dutch Florists' Tulips are wanting in the required points of excellence of form and exquisite markings which give the value to 'English Amateur' Tulips, nevertheless they are valuable for general decorative purposes and are sure to please, for the showy effect they produce in beds and borders.

Beautiful Mixture of Dutch Florists', Bizarres, Byblœmens, and Roses

per 1000, 45/-; per 100, 5/6; per doz. 10/-.

VALLOTA purpurea (The Scarborough Lily), a most valuable Autumn-flowering plant, its handsome trusses of brilliant scarlet flowers being greatly valued for filling vases. We recommend it to be planted out of doors in May, and when in bud potted up for conservatory decoration. Established in pots...per doz. 15/-, 21/-, & 30/-; each, 1/6, 2/6, 3 6

VELTHEIMIA viridiflora, a very handsome characteristic plant for cool greenhouse, with foliage of a glaucous green and elegantly undulated, and heads of Lachenalia-like flowers, colour, rose and green 2 6

WATSONIA, very ornamental and showy bulbous plants, requiring same cultural treatment as the Gladiolus.

angusta O'Brieni (*syn. Ardernei*), a lovely plant with snowy white flowers...per doz. 21/- 2 0

coccinea, bearing in Summer handsome spikes of bloom of a gorgeous vermilion colour, on a reddish-brown stem.....per doz. 2/6 0 3

rosea, beautiful rose-coloured flowers. 2 ft.per doz. 5/6 0 6

WINTER ACONITE, its golden blossoms early in Spring are very beautiful, resting on emerald-green cushions of leaves, and very effective when associated with Snowdrops, Early Scillas, Chionodoxas, Anemone fulgens, Anemone apennina, &c. Under trees and in moist situations, where few other plants will thrive, the Winter Aconite luxuriates and densely clothes the ground with its bright green foliage long after the flowers have disappeared. It is a good useful plant to naturalise in grass, &c.

good flowering rootsper 1000, 15/-; per 100, 1/9

extra strong roots ,, 21/-; ,, 2/6

WOOD HYACINTHS. See Scilla, page 46.

ZEPHYRANTHES (*syn. Amaryllis*). These Swamp Lilies are a beautiful family of bulbous plants requiring greenhouse culture, or they may be grown in a sunny well-drained situation against a south wall. Charming pot-plants, several bulbs in a pot. Early summer-flowering, except *Candida*, which produces its charming white flowers in Autumn.

		per doz.	each
		s.	d. s. d.
<i>atamasco</i> , large pure white flowers, nearly 3 in. long, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		7	6...0 9
<i>candida</i> (The Flower of the West Wind), producing a profusion of white Crocus-like flowers in Autumn; valuable for edgings, masses, &c.	per 100, 7/6	1	3... ..
<i>carinata</i> , beautiful delicate rose colour, large handsome flowers, 1 ft. ...	,, 42/-	6	0...0 7
<i>Treatia</i> , beautiful white fragrant Lily-like flowers. 1 ft.		12	0...1 3

BARR'S SELECT LIST OF STRAWBERRIES.

We have made a careful selection of the very best and most distinct varieties of Strawberries, and recommend all of them, feeling confident they will give the greatest satisfaction; *all other sorts can also be had.*

Well-Rooted Runners. Supplied during August and September.

 *Less quantities than 50 are charged at a little higher rate.*

VERY EARLY VARIETIES.

	per 100—s.	d.
John Ruskin , large rich glossy red, good for first forcing only	3	6
King of Earlies , small black-red fruit of delicious pine-flavour, free bearer, <i>valuable for preserving</i>	4	6

EARLY VARIETIES.

Keen's Seedling , dark crimson globular fruit of rich flavour.....	5	6
Royal Sovereign , a grand new variety, bearing very large handsome fruit, conical in shape and of luscious flavour, flesh firm and white, good continuous cropper	3	6
Vicomtesse Héricart de Thury , a great and continuous cropper of rich flavour, <i>good for preserving</i>	4	6

MAIN CROP VARIETIES

Bicton White Pine , heavy cropper, bearing large white fruit of fine pine-flavour	3	6
British Queen , very large, of exquisite flavour, requires good cultivation in <i>heavy soil</i>	6	6
Dr. Hogg , large and handsome, one of the best flavoured Strawberries in cultivation, likes a heavy soil	6	6
Guntton Park , immense handsome dark crimson-scarlet fruit of fine flavour, continuous cropper; <i>this strawberry has a great future</i>	6	0
President , large and handsome, of richest pine-flavour, heavy cropper	5	6
Sir Charles Napier , large and prolific, of refreshing flavour, a heavy cropper, <i>prefers a light soil</i>	4	6
Sir Joseph Paxton , handsome solid fruit of delicate flavour, very prolific, <i>a favourite market variety</i>	2	6

LATE VARIETIES.


Frogmore Late Pine , fruit large, of extra fine pine-flavour, <i>a connoisseur's fruit</i>	7	6
Lord Suffield , large handsome rich dark crimson fruit, flesh firm and richly flavoured, prolific ...	5	6

VERY LATE VARIETIES.

Eleanor , a fine free-growing large variety, heavy cropper	4	6
Waterloo , very large dark fruit of cockscomb shape, valuable for dessert	6	6
Latest of All , large fruit of cockscomb shape and grand flavour, <i>prefers a heavy soil</i>	6	6

Strawberry Plants in Small Pots.

To fruit first season outdoors or for shifting into large pots for forcing...per 100, 17/6; per doz. 2/6.

 The following favourite Strawberries we specially recommend for forcing—*President*, *Royal Sovereign*, *Sir Joseph Paxton*, and *Sir Charles Napier*.

ROSES FOR AUTUMN-PLANTING.

 Orders for Standard Roses should be given in September in order to secure good plants. s. d.

Selected Standards and Half-Standards of finest sorts...per 100, £9; per doz. 24/- & 30 0		
Selected Dwarfs of finest sorts.....	,, £4. 10s.;	,, 9/- & 12 0
Selected Climbing of finest sorts	,, 10/6 & 15 0	
" " " "	extra strong plants, each 2/6, 3/6 & 5/6	
Tea-Scented, in pots	per doz. 15/-, 21/- & 30 0	
" " " "	large plants for forcing, 30/- & 42 0	
New Polyantha Rose, 'Crimson Rambler' , one of the most charming of Climbing Roses for arbours, porches, and to ramble over rooteries in wildernesses, &c., strong plants on own roots , each 3/6.		

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☞ Specially selected strong healthy plants, ready November to March. Plants a little smaller can be supplied at a cheaper rate. Early orders solicited.

(Selection left to Messrs. Barr & Sons).	Fine Trained Trees, Standards	Untrained Trees, Standards	Fine Trained Trees, Dwarfs	Untrained Trees, Dwarfs	Fine Trained Trees, Pyramids
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Apples .....	...	2 6	3 6	2 6	4 6
Apricots	10 6	4 6	5 6	2 6	...
Cherries	6 6	2 6	3 6	2 0	4 6
Nectarines	10 6	4 6	6 6	2 6	...
Peaches	10 6	4 6	6 6	2 6	..
Pears	6 6	2 6	4 6	2 6	4 6
Plums	6 6	2 6	4 6	2 6	4 6

☞ Special Prices given for large quantities of the above.

	s. d.	Raspberries, per doz. 3/- & 4/6 ;	s. d.
Currents, best sorts .....per doz.	6 0	per 100, 21/- & 30 0	
Gooseberries, best sorts	6 0	Grape Vines, Strong Planting Canes	
Mulberries (Strong Standards) .....each	7 6	each, 4/6 & 6 6	
Nuts, Cob .....per doz.	9/- & 12 0	„ Extra Strong Fruiting Canes	
„ Filbert	9/- & 12 0	each, 8/6 & 12 6	

☞ For other Fruit Trees, &c., prices can be had of any special kinds, on application.

A FEW GARDEN REQUISITES.

Flower Sticks, Wooden, in bundles of 100, 12 inch, 6d. ; 18 inch, 9d. ; 24 inch, 1/3 ; 30 inch, 1/6 ; 36 inch, 2/- ; 42 inch, 2/6 ; 48 inch, 3/-

Hyacinth Glasses, Plain, in various colours, per doz. 5/6.

„ in Fancy Designs, per doz. 7/6 to 21/-

„ **Wire Supports (brass)**, per doz. 4/6.

Knives, Saynor's, best quality, pruning, 2/-, 2/6, 3/-, 3/6, 4/-, and 4/6 each.

„ „ „ budding, 3/-, 3/6, and 4/6 each.

Labels, Wooden, for pots and borders, painted, superior quality : in bundles of 100, 4 inches, 8d. ; 5 inches, 10d. ; 6 inches, 1/- ; 7 inches, 1/3 ; 8 inches, 1/6 ; 9 inches, 2/- ; 12 inches, 3/6.

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Per 100, No. 1, 4/- No. 2, 3/- No. 3, 3/- No. 4, 3/- No. 5, 3/6.

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Layering Pins, 1/- per gross.

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Raphia (Rush Grass), a light tying material, per lb. 1/3 ; per 14 lbs. 14/-

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Murray 'Electric' Mildew and Insect Destroyer, the most effective and the safest Insecticide, in bottles, 1/-, 1/3, 1/6, and 2/6.

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Pure Ichthemic Guano, a highly recommended fertiliser for all Vegetables, Flowers, Exotics, Fruit and Rose Trees, Lawns, &c. Prices : 7 lbs. 2/6 ; 14 lbs. 4/6 ; 28 lbs. 7/6 ; 56 lbs. 12/6 ; 1 cwt. 20/- Sample packets 6d. and 1/-

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Sulphate of Potash, per cwt. 21s. ; per 7 lb. 1s. 6d.

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All **prepaid Orders** for Bulbs, over 5s. in value, will be sent **Carriage Paid**. Orders not prepaid, if over 10s. in value, carriage may be deducted at settlement of account.

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Nurseries, Long Ditton.

Our Nurseries are situated near to **Surbiton Station** (London and South-Western Railway). Visitors are invited during March and April to see our magnificent Collection of Daffodils in flower; in April and May, Tulips, &c.; and during Summer and Autumn to see our Collection of Hardy Perennials and Alpines, and many rare and beautiful Bulbous Plants. *Cab fare from Surbiton Station to Pound Farm entrance of Nursery is 1s.; to main entrance, which is within a hundred yards of Pound Farm entrance, 2s. Cabs are always to be had at Surbiton Station.*

Daffodil Prizes for 1899.

See Prize Notice on back cover of Daffodil Catalogue.

English Tulip Prizes for 1899.

A Fine Silver Tulip Cup. See notice on page 55.

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We shall esteem it a favour if our Customers, when ordering goods to be sent to Ireland, will kindly state the route by which they prefer them being sent.

Gardeners.

We keep a special Register of Gardeners in want of situations, and shall be pleased to put such in communication with any of our Customers requiring either Head or Under-Gardeners.

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Owing to the difficulty of collecting accounts abroad, we beg that Customers will kindly enclose with their Orders a remittance, a draft, or an 'order to pay,' on a London Bank, or Agent; the remittance should be sufficient to cover cost of carriage when the freight is required to be paid in advance.

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A FIELD OF NARCISSUS BARRII CONSPICUUS AT BARR'S LONG DITTON NURSERIES.

(See Daffodil Catalogue, page 17.)



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Date 1898

Signed

We hope our Customers will mark their wants on this Order Form, as it will give them less trouble than writing out an order, and it will facilitate its execution.

Under the Columnar headings 'QUANTITY,' write in Figures how many Bulbs, &c., are required.

BARR'S Famous 'Covent Garden' Collections of Bulbs.		Novelties and Specialities—contd.		Novelties and Specialities—contd.		Special Cheap Offer—continued.	
Sent Prepaid and Box and Packing free on receipt of remittance.		Quantity.		Quantity.		Quantity.	
A. Barr's Early Forcing Collection, 21/-		Chionodoxa Luciliae rosea, each 1 6		Ranunculus asiaticus superb, per 1000, 25/-; per 100, 3 0		Crocus speciosus ... 42 0 ... 5 6 ... 0 10	
A. " 42/-, 63/-, 84/- & 105/-		" alba, each 1 6		Richardia Pentlandii, plants in pots, each 10 6, 15/-, 21/-, 30/- & 42 0		Crown Imperials, mixed ... 25 0 ... 3 6	
B. " 'Greenhouse,' Coll. 21/-		Dodecatheon James Cooke ... each 1 3		Sternbergia Fischeriana, per doz. 5/6; each 0 6		Cyclamen europæum ... 21 0 ... 3 6	
B. " 42/-, 63/-, 84/- & 105/-		" Longfellow ... 2 0		Tropæolum Leichtlini, ea. 3 6		" ibericum, mxd. ... 30 0 ... 4 6	
C. " 'Flower Garden,' Coll. 21/-		" Rosy Gem ... 2 0		Tulipa Kaufmanniana, ea. 2 6		" neapolitanum ... 25 0 ... 3 6	
C. " 42/-, 63/-, 84/- & 105/-		" Snowflake ... 2 0		Other fine Tulip Species, see page 6.		" repandum ... 25 0 ... 3 6	
D. " 'Woodland,' Coll. 21/-		" Victor Hugo' ... 3 0		Selected Bulbs and Plants for Early Forcing.		Daffodils, choice mixed ... 30 0 ... 3 6	
D. " 42/-, 63/-, 84/- & 105/-		Eremurus himalaicus, flowering roots ... ea. 7 6		See List, page 1 of Catalogue.		" fine mxd. 21 0 ... 2 6	
		Erythronium Johnsoni, p. 100, 50/-; p. doz. 7/6; each 0 9		Special Cheap Offer of Hardy Bulbs and Plants.		" Peerless ... 30 0 ... 3 6	
		" revolutum, p. 100, 63/-; p. doz. 8/6; ea. 0 10		Page 6 of General Bulb Catalogue.		" Poet's Narcissi, mxd. 42 0 ... 5 0	
		Fritillaria nöhilis, each 2 0				" Trumpet vars., mxd. 42 0 ... 5 0	
		" pluriflora...p. doz. 7/6 0 9				Dog's-Tooth Violets, purple 50 0 ... 5 6 ... 0 10	
		" Whittallii, new, p. doz. 4/6; ea. 0 5				" fine mxd. 21 0 ... 2 6	
		Galanthus (Snowdrop) caucasicus grandis, each 1 3				" white 50 0 ... 5 6 ... 0 10	
		" cilicicus, per doz. 3/6; " 0 4				" large-flowered, mxd. 65 0 ... 7 6 ... 1 3	
		" Ikarizæ, p. 100, 15/-; p. doz. 2/3; each 0 3				" yellow ... 10 0 ... 6 ... 1 6	
		Iris persica Vogeliana, ea. 1 0				" large-flower'd American vars. mixed 17 6 ... 2 6	
		Lachealia Cawston Gem, per doz. 12/-; each 1 3				Feathered Hyacinth ... 30 0 ... 3 6 ... 0 6	
		" Garnet ... 12/-; " 1 3				Fritillaria meleagris, mixed 50 0 ... 5 6 ... 0 10	
		" Little Beauty, per doz. 12/-; " 1 3				Funkia, mxd. ... 21 0 ... 3 6	
		" Rector of Cawston, per doz. 12/-; each 1 3				Galtonia candicans ... 55 0 ... 6 6 ... 1 0	
		" Topaz ... 12/-; " 1 3				Gladiolus byzantinus ... 30 0 ... 3 6 ... 0 6	
						" Colvillei 30 0 ... 3 6 ... 0 6	
						" The Bride ... 30 0 ... 3 6 ... 0 6	
						" Dwarf Early, mxd. 25 0 ... 3 0 ... 0 6	
						" Brech-leynensis" 45 0 ... 5 0 ... 0 10	
						Grape Hyacinths, blue 15 0 ... 1 9 ... 0 3	
						" white 25 0 ... 3 0 ... 0 6	
						Helleborus, mixed hybrids ... 42 0 ... 5 6	
						Hemerocallis (Day-Lilies) ... 21 0 ... 3 6	
						Hyacinths, a beautiful mixture ... 13 6 ... 2 0	
						" miniature ... 85 0 ... 9 6 ... 1 3	
						" amethystinus ... 55 0 ... 6 6 ... 1 0	
						Iris, English, mixed ... 50 0 ... 5 6 ... 0 10	

Special Cheap Offer—continued.

Quantity	per 1000	per 100	per doz.	Quantity	p. doz. each	Quantity	p. doz. each	Quantity	p. doz. each
s. d. s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.
..... Iris, Spanish, mixed 21 0... 2 6... 9				..... Agapanthus umbellatus 1 6... 0 9		..... Arum Eggeri 15 0... 1 6		..... Chionodoxa sardensis, very large bulbs for forcing, per 100, 5/6; p. doz. 10d.	
..... " Tall Flag, mixed 10 6... 1 9				..... " latius albus 1 6... 0 9		..... " italicum 1 6... 0 2		..... " gigantea, home-grown bulbs, p. 1000, 50/-; p. 100, 6/-; p. doz. 1/-.	
..... " germanica, blue... 25 0... 3 6				..... " Mooreanus 7 6... 0 9		..... " palestinum 5 6... 0 6		..... " extra selected, p. 1000, 70/-; p. 100, 8/6; p. doz. 1/3	
..... " florentina 35 0... 5 6				..... " flore pleno 2 0... 0 6		..... " Babiana, choice mixture, p. 100, 12/6 1 9... 9		..... " very large bulbs for forcing, per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6.	
..... " Dwarf Flag in mixture 10 6... 1 9				..... " Allium acuminatum 1 6... 0 2		..... " Begonias, Bedding, in separate colours, p. 100, 35/- 5 0... 0		..... " Tmolusii, per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3	
..... Juncus, single 21 0... 2 6... 0 9				..... " azureum 2 6... 0 3		..... " Begonias, Handsome Exhibition, single for pot-culture, p. doz. 15/-, 21/-, & 30/-		..... Colchicum autumnale s. d. s. d.	
..... Lilium auratum 36 0... 5 6				..... " karaviense 5 6... 0 6		..... " *, double, for pot-culture, p. doz. 21/-, 30/- & 35/-		..... " album, p. 100, 15/- 2 3... 0 3	
..... " candidum 15 0... 2 6				..... " neapolitanum p. 100, 3 6... 0 6... 0		..... " in 6 separate colours 10 6... 0		..... " plenum... 5 6	
..... " davuricum mixed reds 17 6... 2 6				..... " Ostrowskianum p. 100, 15/- 2 3... 0		..... " *, mixed 7 6... 0		..... " plenum p. 100, 15/- 2 3... 0 3	
..... " longiflorum 30 0... 4 6				..... " pedemontanum 1 6... 0 6		..... " Bessera elegans 5 6... 0 6		..... " roseum p. 100, 15/- 2 3... 0 3	
..... " martagon 30 0... 4 6				..... " pulchellum 4 6... 0 5		..... " Bloomeria aurea 3 6... 0 4		..... " striatum plenum, p. 100, 21/- 3 0... 0 4	
..... " pyrenaicum 30 0... 4 6				..... " flammula 3 6... 0 4		..... " Bobartia aurantiaca. See <i>Homeria</i>.		..... " Bivona 5 6... 0 6	
..... " tigrinum splendens 17 6... 2 6				..... " Rosenbachianum 5 6... 0 6		..... " *Bomarea salsilla 2 6... 0 3		..... " byzantium 5 6... 0 6	
..... " speciosum rubrum 35 0... 5 6				..... " triquetrum p. 100, 7/6... 1 3... 0		..... " Boussingaultia baselloides, p. 100, 15/- 2 0... 0 3		..... " Parkinsoni, p. 100, 30/- 4 6... 0 6	
..... Lily of the Valley, planting crowns 42 0... 5 0... 0				..... " Alstroemeria aurantiaca, p. 100, 12 6... 1 9... 0 2		..... " Brodiaea Bridgesii 5 6... 0 6		..... " Sibthorpii 3 6... 0 6	
..... Meadow-Saffron, autumn-flowering, mixed 7 6... 1 3				..... " chilensis hybrida p. 100, 12 6... 1 9... 0 2		..... " capitata alba 4 6... 0 5		..... " speciosum rubrum 7 6... 0 8	
..... Meadow-Saffron, spring-flowering 10 6... 1 6				..... " lutea 10 6... 1 6... 0 2		..... " coccinea p. 100, 21/- 3 0... 0 4		..... " szovitzianum, p. 100, 10/6 1 9... 0 2	
..... Milla uniflora, mixed 21 0... 2 6... 0				..... " pelagrina alba 5 6... 0 6		..... " congesta 1 0... 0		..... " variegatum, p. 100, 75/-; p. 100, 8/6 1 6... 0 2	
..... Mouthbretia cosmæiflora 35 0... 4 6... 0 8				..... " psittacina p. 100, 12/6... 1 9... 0 3		..... " grandiflora p. 100, 5/6 0 10... 0		..... " mixed, p. 100, 7/6 1 3... 0 6	
..... " Pottii 25 0... 3 0... 0 6				..... " pulchra (tricolor) 3 6... 0 4		..... " Hendersoni 10 6... 0 9		..... " crociflorum... 2 6	
..... Ornithogalum umbellatum, splendens 40 0... 4 6... 0 8				..... " Amaryllis Choice unnamed hybrids 25 0... 2 6		..... " Howellii 10 6... 0 9		..... " montanum 5 6... 0 6	
..... Ornithogalum nutans 50 0... 5 6... 0 10				..... " 12 Exhibition vars. 7 7 0		..... " Ixioides 2 6... 0 3		..... *Commelina tuberosa, p. 100, 10/6 1 6... 0 2	
..... Polygonatum (Solomon's Seal), tall 10 6... 1 6				..... " 6 4 0 0		..... " laxa 3 6... 0 4		..... Corydalis bulbosa, p. 100, 6/6 1 0... 0	
..... " dwarf 10 6... 1 6				..... " 12 extra fine vars. 5 5 0		..... " Murrayanum 5 6... 0 6		..... *Criminum augustum each, 10 6, 15/-, & 21/-	
..... Schizostylis coccinea 65 0... 7 6... 1 3				..... " 12 good vars., named, 30/- and 2 2 0		..... " volubilis 5 6... 0 6		..... " campanulatum (aquaticum) 3 6	
..... Scilla sibirica 21 0... 2 6... 0 4				..... " named, 30/- and 2 2 0		..... " Bulbocodium vernum, per 100, 10/6 1 6... 0		..... " erubescens 7 6	
..... " bifolia 30 0... 3 6... 0 6				..... " Anemones, Double Poppy. s. d. s. d.		..... *Caladium, 12 in 12 var. 15/-, 24/-, 42/-		..... " fimbriatum 6	
..... Snowdrops double or single 21 0... 2 6... 0 5				..... " 250 in 25 varieties 17 6		..... " 6 in 6 var., 7/6, 12/-, & 21/-		..... " longifolium, p. 100, 25/- 3 6... 0 4	
..... " Elwes Giant single 15 0... 1 9... 0 3				..... " 100 in 25 " 7 6		..... " *, esculentum 1 0... 1 6		..... " alium 6 6... 0 8	
..... Snowflakes Spring 40 0... 4 6... 0 8				..... " 50 in 25 " 4 0		..... " Calla. See <i>Richardia</i>.		..... " Moorei (Makoyanum) 3/6 & 5/6	
..... " Summer 30 0... 3 6... 0 6				..... " Splendid mixed, p. 1000, 35/- 4 0... 0 8		..... " Calochortus 3 each 24 varieties, 42/-		..... *Crocus aurea, p. 100, 8/6 1 3... 0	
..... Spiraea japonica 30 0... 4 6				..... " Bluebeard 8 6... 1 3		..... " 1 1 each of the 28 Calochorti described, 18/6		..... " Imperialis 15 0... 1 6	
..... " palmata 40 0... 5 6				..... " Blush Beauty 7 6... 1 3		..... " clavatus 15 0... 1 6			
..... " elegans 30 0... 4 6				..... " Chapeau de Cardinal 6 6... 1 0		..... " Gunnisoni 4 6... 0 5			
..... Starch Hyacinth dark blue 8 6... 1 3				..... " Fire King 8 6... 1 3		..... " Kennedyi 1 6... 0 6			
..... " bright blue 12 6... 1 9				..... " Rose de Nice 6 6... 1 0		..... " lilacinus 3 6... 0 4			
..... Sternbergia lutea 95 0... 10 6... 1 6				..... " Chrysanthemum flowered, mixed 3 0		..... " luteus 2 6... 0 3			
..... Tulips, Single mixed 42 0... 4 6... 0 8				..... " Anemones, Single Poppy. Large-flowered Victoria Giant 4 6... 0 8		..... " concolor 1 6... 0 3			
..... " Double, mixed 50 0... 5 6... 0 9				..... " "White 'The Bride' p. 1000, 30/- 3 6... 0 6		..... " macrocarpus 7 6... 0 8			
..... " Mayflowering " Cottagers," mixed 65 0... 7 6... 1 3				..... " "King of Scarlet," p. 1000, 21/- 2 6... 0 4		..... " nitidus 8 6... 0 9			
..... " "English Amateur," mixed 95 0... 10 6... 1 6				..... " "Beautiful Rich Blue p. 1000, 30/- 3 6... 0 6		..... " Nuttallii luteus 7 6... 0 8			
..... " Lord Denman 10 6... 1 6				..... " Fine mixed p. 1000, 17/6 2 0... 0 4		..... " Obispoensis 1 6... 0 6			
..... " Darwin, mixed 95 0... 10 6... 1 6				..... " Anemone stellata. Choice mixture 10 6... 1 6		..... " Plummeræ 10 6... 1 0			
..... Wood Hyacinths mixed 30 0... 3 6... 0 6				..... " Jewel 7 6... 1 3		..... " splendens 4 6... 0 5			
..... " blue 25 0... 3 0... 0 6				..... " Scarlet Gem 15 0... 2 3		..... " atroviolaceus 4 6... 0 5			
..... " white 42 0... 4 6... 0 8				..... " White Gem 5 6		..... " ruber 10 6... 1 0			
..... " red 42 0... 4 6... 0 8				..... Anemone fulgens. Fulgens p. 1000, 55/- 6 6... 1 0		..... " var. flexuosus 1 6... 0 6			
..... Winter Aconites, yellow 15 0... 1 9... 0				..... " extra strong roots 8 6... 1 3		..... " venustus citrinus 2 6... 0 3			
..... Zephyranthes candida 65 0... 7 6... 1 3			 " annulata 10 6... 1 6	 " purpurascens 3 0... 0 4			

Alphabetical List of Bulbs, Tubers, and Plants.

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Those marked thus * ripen late and will be ready to send out from the middle of October to March. All other bulbs, etc., are ready for despatch from 1st September.

Quantity	p. doz. each	s. d. s. d.
..... *Abobra viridiflora 5 6... 0 6		
..... *Achimenes 1 ea. 12 vars., 3/6 3 " 12 " 8/6		
..... Aconite—Winter. See Winter Aconite.		
..... Agapanthus umbellatus 7 6... 0 9		
..... " maximus 1 3		

CROCUS.

Barr's Cheap Showy Crocus.

Quantity	p. doz. each	s. d. s. d.
..... 1000 in 5 varieties 15 0		
..... 500 in 5 " 7 9		
..... 250 in 5 " 4 0		
..... 100 in 5 " 2 0		
..... Splendid mixed, p. 100, 1/3; p. 1000, 10/6		
..... Barr's Large Purple 16 6... 1 9		
..... " Large striped 16 6... 1 9		
..... " Large white 16 6... 1 9		
..... Golden-yellow 14 6... 1 8		
..... Large Golden-yellow 20 0... 2 6		
..... Extra large Golden-yellow 30 0... 3 6		
..... Cloth of Silver 18 6... 2 0		

Crocuses, Choice Named Large-flowered.

Quantity	p. doz. each	s. d. s. d.
..... 1000 in 10 splendid varieties 27/6		
..... 500 in 10 " 14/6		
..... 250 in 10 " 7/6		
..... 100 in 10 " 3/6		
..... Extra choice mixed from named vars. p. 100, 2/6, p. 1000, 21/2		
..... Barr's Giant p. 100 p. doz. Golden-Yellow 5 6... 0 10		
..... Bleu Celeste 3 6... 0 6		
..... David Rizzio 2 6... 0 4		
..... Duke of York 3 6... 0 6		
..... King of Blues 3 6... 0 6		
..... Ira Aldridge 5 6... 0 10		
..... L'Unique 5 6... 0 10		
..... Madame Mina 2 6... 0 4		
..... Margot 4 6... 0 8		
..... Mrs. B. Stowe 3 6... 0 6		
..... Mont Blanc 2 6... 0 4		
..... Ne Plus Ultra 3 0... 0 6		
..... Pride of Albion 2 6... 0 4		
..... Queen of Purples 3 6... 0 6		
..... Sarah Bernhardt 3 0... 0 6		
..... Snow Queen 3 6... 0 6		
..... Sir Walter Scott 2 6... 0 4		
..... Striped Beauty 3 6... 0 6		

Crocuses, Choice Species.

Autumn, Winter & Spring-flowering

Quantity	p. doz. each	s. d. s. d.
..... 3 each 60 varieties, 45/-		
..... 1 " 60 " 18/-		
..... 3 " 30 " 15/-, 21/-, 30/-		
..... 1 " 30 " 6/-, 10/6, 15/-		

Crocuses, Choice Species—*contd.*

Quantity	per doz.	each
3 each 20 varieties 10/6, 15/-, 25/-		
.....I .. 20 .. 4/6, 6/9, 9/-		
.....3 .. 12 .. 6/-, 10/6, 15/-		
.....I .. 12 .. 2/6, 4/6, 6/-		
<i>Autumn-flowering.</i>		
.....Asturicus .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....atropurpureus .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....Hadriaticus .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....bclonicus .. 21 .. 0/3		
.....Iridiflorus .. 17 .. 6/-		
.....Longiflorus, 1000, 30/-		
.....Pulchellus .. 25 .. 0/3		
.....Salzmanni, p. 1000, 25/-		
.....Sativus, p. 1000, 40/-		
.....Cartwrightianus .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....Serotinus .. 17 .. 6/-		
.....Speciosus .. 1000, 42/-		
.....Zonatus .. 10 .. 6/-		
<i>Winter-flowering.</i>		
.....Chrysanthus .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....fusco-lineatus .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....fusco-tinctus .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Etruscus .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Imperati, p. 1000, 42/-		
.....Nevadensis .. 30 .. 0/4		
.....Sieberi .. 6 .. 6/-		
<i>Spring-flowering.</i>		
.....Aureus pallidus .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....sulphureus concolor, p. 1000, 17/6		
.....striatus .. 3 .. 0/0		
.....Biflorus argenteus .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....minor .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....pusillus .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Cloth of Gold .. 19 .. 0/3		
.....Obesus .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Stellaris, p. 1000, 30/-		
.....Tommasianus .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....atropurpureus .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....pallidus .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....Venus Emperor .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....George Maw .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....leucostigma .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Leedsii .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....obovatus .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Versicolor striatus .. 10 .. 6/-		
<i>Crown Imperial.</i>		
.....Aurora .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....Deep .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....Orange-red .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....fol. var. .. 8 .. 6/-		
.....Giant Red .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....pure yellow .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Mixed .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....3 each of above 5 sorts, 7/-		
.....Cummingia trimaculata .. 3 .. 6/-		
<i>Cyclamen persicum.</i>		
.....plants in pots, p. doz. 15/-, 21/-, 25/- & 30/-		
.....each, 1/6, 2/-, 2/6, 3/6 & 5/6		
.....Seed, 1/6 and 2/6 p. pkt.		
<i>Cyclamen, Hardy Species.</i>		
.....Cyclamen, 3 ea. 12 vars., 21/-		
.....I .. 12 .. 8/-		
.....per doz. each .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Africanum .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Ibericum .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....linsi .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....lilacinum .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....roseum .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....rubrum .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....mixed .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....p. 100, 30/-		
.....Cilicium .. 1 .. 6/-		
.....Couni, 100, 35/-		
.....album .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....roseum .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....Europæum, p. 100, 21/-		
.....libanoticum .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....Neapolitanum, extra large		
.....bulbs .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....fine large bulbs .. 4 .. 6/-		
.....good flowering bulbs .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....album .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Græcum .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Repandum, p. 100, 25/-		
.....album .. 10 .. 6/-		

Cyclobothra. See Calochortus.

Quantity	per doz.	each
.....Cyrtanthus .. 4 .. 6/-		
.....Macowanii .. 4 .. 6/-		
.....Mackenii .. 1 .. 3/-		
.....sanguineus .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....Dahlias, double		
.....p. doz. 7/6 & 10/6		
.....single .. 7/6 & 10/6		
.....cactus, double		
.....p. doz. 7/6 & 10/6		
.....Jaurezi .. 6 .. 0/0		
.....Earl .. 18 .. 0/1		
.....Pembroke .. 18 .. 0/1		
.....Kynerith .. 12 .. 0/1		
.....Lady .. 18 .. 0/1		
.....Penzance .. 18 .. 0/1		
.....Major .. 18 .. 0/1		
.....Hoskins .. 18 .. 0/1		
.....Matchless .. 18 .. 0/1		
.....Mrs. Bennett .. 18 .. 0/1		
.....Cactus, single .. 12 .. 0/0		
.....dwarf, single .. 15 .. 0/0		
.....Deutzia gracilis .. 12 .. 0/1		
.....Dicentra (Dielytra)		
.....spectabilis .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....alba .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....Diets Huttoni. See Iris Huttoni.		
.....Erantia hyemalis.		
.....See Winter Aconite.		
.....Eremurus Bungei .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....robustus, 3-yr. old roots .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....robustus, 4-yr. old roots .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....robustus, 5-yr. old roots .. 15 .. 0/0		
.....Erythronium		
.....dens-canis, purple, p. 1000, 50/-		
.....p. 100, 5/6		
.....rose, p. 1000, 50/-; p. 100, 5/6		
.....white, per 1000, 50/-		
.....per 100, 5/6		
.....large-flowered purple, p. 100, 10/6		
.....large-flowered rose, p. 100, 10/6		
.....large-flowered white, p. 100, 9/6		
.....mixed, p. 1000, 65/-		
.....p. 100, 7/6		
.....sibiricum .. 1 .. 6/-		
.....americanum, p. 100, 10/6		
.....giganteum .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....grandiflorum .. 8 .. 6/-		
.....album .. 8 .. 6/-		
.....Hartwegi .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Hendersoni .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Howellii .. 15 .. 0/1		
.....montanum .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Nuttallianum .. 1 .. 6/-		
.....purpurascens .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....revolutum .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Bolanderi .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Watsoni .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Mixed American large-flowered, p. 100, 17/6		
.....Eucharis amazonica, single bulbs, established in pots, p. 100, £5. 5/-; p. doz. 15/-		
.....each 1/6		
.....Pots of established roots, p. pot, 5/6 & 7/6		
.....Grand Specimen Plants, in		
.....No. 1 size pot, each £5. 5/-		
.....No. 2 .. £4. 4/-		
.....No. 3 .. £3. 3/-		
.....per doz. each .. 6 .. 6/-		
.....Eucomis punctata .. 6 .. 6/-		
.....Eurycles Cuning-		
.....hami .. 12 .. 0/1		
.....sylvestris .. 12 .. 0/1		
.....Feathered Hyacinth. See Muscari.		
.....Freesia Leichtlini, major, per 100, 6/6		
.....extra strong bulbs, p. 100, 8/6		
.....refracta alba, per 100, 6/6		
.....extra strong bulbs, per 100, 8/6		
.....mixed .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Fritillaria meleagris, rosy purple, per 100, 12/6		
.....white, per 100, 12/6		

Quantity	per doz.	each
.....Fritillaria meleagris, rosy purple, mixed		
.....per 100, 5/6		
.....latifolia, mixed		
.....per 100, 8/6		
.....armena .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....rubra .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....aurea .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....Burnati .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....citrina, 100, 21/-		
.....Guicciardi .. 1 .. 6/-		
.....kamschatica .. 1 .. 6/-		
.....lanceolata .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....gracilis .. 9 .. 6/-		
.....Moggridgei .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....per 100, 35/-		
.....oranensis .. 8 .. 6/-		
.....pallidiflora .. 12 .. 0/1		
.....persica .. 6 .. 6/-		
.....pontica .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....pudica .. 8 .. 6/-		
.....pyrenaica .. 4 .. 6/-		
.....recurva .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Ruthenica .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....Walujewi .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....per 1000, 100 doz.		
.....Galanthus (Snow-drop), Single 21/-; 2/6; -/5		
.....extra fine bulbs .. 27/6; 3/-; -/6		
.....Double Snow-drops .. 21/-; 2/6; -/5		
.....extra fine bulbs .. 27/6; 3/-; -/6		
.....Elwes' Giant Single. Snowdrops, extra strong 35/-; 4/-; -/8		
.....Strong .. 25/-; 3/-; -/6		
.....Small bulbs 15/-; 1/9		
.....Monster bulbs .. 5/6; -/10		
.....per 100 doz.		
.....Elwesii var. .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....Cassaba .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....Fosteri, each 4/-		
.....Ikarie .. 15 .. 0/2		
.....Imperati .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....latifolius .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....octobrensis, each, 1/3		
.....plicatus .. 21 .. 0/3		
.....robustus .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....Galtonia candicans		
.....Strong flowering bulbs 6 .. 6/-		
.....Extra large bulbs .. 8 .. 6/-		
.....Gastronema. See Cyrtanthus.		
.....Geissorhiza Rochensis, per doz. 7/6; each 0/8		

GLADIOLUS.

Early Varieties.

Quantity	per doz.	each
.....Gladiolus Byzantinus .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....Colvillei .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....The Bride .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....extra large roots 4 .. 6/-		
<i>Barr's Selections of Early Gladioli.</i>		
.....6 each 12 varieties, 12/- & 18/0		
.....3 .. 12 .. 6/6 & 9/6		
.....1 .. 12 .. 2/6 & 3/6		
.....per doz. -s. d.		
.....Gladiolus Splendid mixed .. 100, 6/6		
.....Amsterdam .. 100, 15/-		
.....Alfred Tennyson .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....Blushing Bride .. 100, 25/-		
.....Cardinalis .. 100, 12/6		
.....Fire King .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Formosissimus .. 100, 8/6		
.....Insignis, p. 100, 14/6		
.....Ne Plus Ultra .. 100, 6/6		
.....Pink Perfection .. 100, 17/6		
.....Prince Rudolph .. 5 .. 6/-		
.....Queen Victoria .. 100, 8/6		
.....Ramosus, p. 100, 8/6		
.....Rosy Gem, 12/6		
.....Salmon Queen .. 4 .. 6/-		
.....Sarnian Gem .. 4 .. 6/-		
.....Nanus, Dwarf Early mixed, p. 1000, 25/-		
.....per 100, 3/-		

Gladiolus, Late (Gandavensis vars.).

Quantity	per doz.	each
.....3 each 30 vars., 42/- & 63/-		
.....1 .. 30 .. 15/- & 22/-		
.....3 .. 20 .. 22/6 & 35/-		
.....1 .. 20 .. 8/6 & 12/6		
.....3 .. 12 .. 12/6, 21/- & 30/-		
.....1 .. 12 .. 4/6, 7/6 & 10/6		
.....per 100 p. doz.		
.....Reds, mixed .. 18 .. 6/-		
.....Roses .. 18 .. 6/-		
.....Whites .. 18 .. 6/-		
.....Yellows .. 30 .. 4/6		
.....Flesh & Salmon .. 21 .. 0/3		
.....Barr's Choicest Gladioli mixed 21 .. 0/3		
.....Fine Mixture 10 .. 6/-		
<i>Gladiolus Brechleyensis</i>		
.....1st size bulbs .. 1000, 60/-; 7/6		
.....2nd size bulbs .. 1000, 45/-; 5/6		
.....extra large bulbs 10 .. 6/-		
<i>Gladiolus Hybrid Butterfly. s. d.</i>		
.....3 each of 20 varieties .. 45 .. 0		
.....1 .. 20 .. 17 .. 6		
.....3 .. 12 .. 18/6 & 27 .. 6		
.....1 .. 12 .. 7/6 & 10 .. 6		
.....3 .. 6 .. 7/6, 10/6 & 15 .. 0		
.....1 .. 6 .. 2/9, 4/0 & 5 .. 6		
<i>Gladiolus Butterfly, Splendid mixed</i>		
.....per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1 .. 6		
.....Gladiolus Nanceianus .. 1 .. 6/-		
.....each 16 named varieties 21 .. 0		
<i>Gladiolus Childsii</i>		
.....1 each 16 named varieties 9 .. 0		
.....Splendid mixed .. 100, 42/-; per doz. 5 .. 6		
<i>Gladiolus, Beautiful Species.</i>		
.....1 each 20 varieties, 10/6		
.....per doz. each .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....alatus .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Saundersi .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Tristis .. 4 .. 6/-		
.....*Gloriosa superba .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....Glory of the Snow. See Chionodoxa.		
.....*Gloxinia, named vars. per doz. 18/-		
.....24/-, & 30/-		
.....Good named varieties .. 10 .. 6/-		
.....mixed .. 4 .. 6/-		
.....Grape Hyacinth. See Muscari.		
.....Guernsey Lily. See Nerine.		
.....Hamantus Kal-		
.....breyeri .. 4 .. 6/-		
.....Katharine .. 7 .. 6/-		
.....Nelsoni .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....puniceus .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....Helleborus niger max-		
.....imus, extra strong clumps .. 2/6 & 3/6		
.....Bath var. extra strong clumps		
.....per doz. 15/-, 24/-, & 36 .. 0		
.....each, 1/6, 2/6, & 3/6		
.....Homeria aurantiaca .. 100, 7/6		
.....collina, per 100, 7/6		

HYACINTHS.

Barr's 'Prize Winning' Exhibition Hyacinths.

Quantity	per doz.	each
.....3 each 12 Exhbn. vars. 2 .. 15 .. 0		
.....1 .. 12 .. 1 .. 1 .. 0		
.....each -s. d.		
.....Blush Perfection .. 2 .. 6/-		
.....Clantab .. 1 .. 6/-		
.....Cardinal Wiseman .. 1 .. 6/-		
.....Distinction .. 1 .. 6/-		
.....Electra .. 3 .. 0/-		
.....Galatea .. 1 .. 3/-		
.....Isabelle .. 2 .. 0/-		
.....King Cole .. 2 .. 0/-		
.....King of Roses .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....La Belle .. 3 .. 0/-		
.....Leviathan .. 1 .. 0/-		
.....Lord Balfour .. 1 .. 3/-		
.....Magnificent .. 2 .. 0/-		
.....Marchioness of Lorne .. 2 .. 0/-		
.....Mountain of Snow .. 3 .. 6/-		
.....Pearl Queen .. 2 .. 0/-		
.....Sweetheart .. 2 .. 0/-		
.....Yellow Hammer .. 2 .. 0/-		
.....One Bulb each of the above 18		
.....Grand Hyacinths, 35/-		

Hyacinths—*contd.*

Barr's Popular Collections.

Quantity	£	s.	d.
.....100 in 50 ex. fine	3	10	0
.....50 in 25	1	15	0
.....25 in 25	0	18	6
.....12 in 12	7/6	0	10
.....3 each of 30 var.	2	5	0
.....3 each of 20	1	12	6
.....3 each of 15	1	4	0
.....1 each of 12	0	5	6
.....Mixed from named sorts, per 100, 30/-; per doz. 0	4	0	0

Hyacinths, Choice Named.

Rose, Rose-pink, Blush, &c.

each—s.	d.
.....Cavaignac	0 9
.....Cosmos	0 6
.....Dainty Maid	1 3
.....Duke of Wellington, double	0 7
.....Eldine	0 9
.....Fabiola	0 6
.....Grootvorst, double	0 5
.....L'Ornement Rose	1 0
.....Lord Percy	1 3
.....Moreno	0 9
.....Norma	0 5
.....Pink Perfection	1 3
.....Rosy Morn	0 10
.....Sultan's Favourite	0 5
.....Triomphe des Roses	1 3
.....Victor Emmanuel	0 10

Carmine, Crimson, Scarlet, &c.

each—s.	d.
.....Amy	0 5
.....Countess of Rosebery	0 8
.....Etna	1 3
.....Garibaldi	0 10
.....General Pélissier	0 4
.....Gertrude	0 5
.....Glow	1 0
.....King of Scarlets	2 6
.....King of the Belgians	0 8
.....King of the Reds	2 0
.....Koh-i-noor, semi-double...	1 3
.....Lord Macaulay	0 6
.....Mr. Robert Steiger	0 5
.....Mrs. Beecher Stowe	0 6
.....Princess Louise, double	0 6
.....Queen of Hyacinths	0 5
.....Tollens	0 8
.....Von Schiller	0 6
.....Vuurbaak	1 3

Blue, Azure, Porcelain, &c.

each—s.	d.
.....Bloxberg, double	0 6
.....Blondin	0 6
.....Count Andrassy	0 9
.....Couronne de Celle	0 6
.....Czar Peter	0 9
.....Forget-Me-Not	1 0
.....Grand Lilas	0 8
.....Leonidas	0 5
.....Lord Byron	0 9
.....Lord Derby	0 9
.....Pieneman	0 5
.....Queen of the Blues	0 9
.....Regulus	0 5

Dark Porcelain, Purple, Black, &c.

each—s.	d.
.....Baron Van Tuyl	0 5
.....Charles Dickens, single	0 5
.....Duke of Connaught	1 0
.....General Havelock	0 8
.....Grand Maître	0 6
.....King of Blacks	1 0
.....King of the Blues	0 7
.....Marie	0 4
.....Masterpiece	1 3
.....Prince of Wales	0 9
.....The Sultan	1 3
.....William the First	0 5
.....William III	0 6

Claret, Mauve and Purple-Violet.

each—s.	d.
.....Claret Cup	1 3
.....Distinction	1 6
.....Harlequin	0 10
.....L'Espérance	0 10
.....Peter Barr	1 0

Pure White.

each—s.	d.
.....Albus maximus	0 8
.....Baroness Van Tuyl	0 4
.....Grand Vainqueur	0 8
.....La Grandesse	0 8
.....La Tour d'Auvergne, double	0 6
.....L'Innocence	0 9
.....Madame V. der Hoop	0 6
.....Mont Blanc	0 9
.....Prince of Waterloo	0 6
.....Snowball	0 10
.....Snow King	1 6
.....White Queen	1 6

Hyacinths, Choice Named—*contd.*

White shaded Rose, Blush, &c.

each—s.	d.
.....Anna Maria, double	0 6
.....Grandeur à Merveille	0 5
.....Lady of the Lake	1 3
.....La Franchise	0 5
.....La Virginité, double	0 4
.....Voltaire	0 4
.....Yellow.	
.....Bird of Paradise	0 9
.....Citronnière	0 8
.....Ida	0 8
.....King of Yellows	1 0
.....Le Chamois	0 10
.....Obelisque	0 10
.....Primrose Perfection	1 3
.....Queen of Yellows	1 3
.....Sonora	0 6
.....Van Vondel	0 10

See also 'Exhibition Hyacinths.'

BARR'S EXTRA SELECTED
BEDDING HYACINTHS.

SECTION I

Earliest.

per 100 p. doz.	s.	d.	s.	d.
.....Early Blush Rose	25	0	3	6
.....Deep Rose	25	0	3	6
.....Azure Blue	25	0	3	6
.....Bright Blue	25	0	3	6
.....Dark Violet	25	0	3	6
.....Blue	25	0	3	6
.....Pure White	25	0	3	6
.....Blush	25	0	3	6
.....12 each of above 7 vars. 1	1	0	0	0
.....50 " " 7 " 4	0	0	0	0

SECTION II

Barr's Bedding Hyacinths.

Flowering later than above.

per 100 p. doz.	s.	d.	s.	d.
.....Bright Rose	25	0	3	6
.....Deep Rose	25	0	3	6
.....Deep Crimson	25	0	3	6
.....Pale Azure Blue	25	0	3	6
.....Dark Violet Blue	25	0	3	6
.....Pure White	25	0	3	6
.....Blush White	25	0	3	6
.....Blush	25	0	3	6
.....12 each of above 8 vars. 1	4	0	0	0
.....50 " " 8 " 4	0	0	0	0
.....Ordinary size bedding Hyacinths, we can supply these in separate colours at 19.6 per 100; per doz. 2 9.				

Barr's Rainbow

Mixture, extra

strong bulbs

Barr's Rainbow

Mixture, good

flowering bulbs

Miniature Hyacinths.

Choice mixture,

per 1000, 85/- 9 6...1 3

Hyacinths.

Early Dwarf Roman, for Early

Forcing.

p. 100 p. doz.	s.	d.	s.	d.
.....White, extra strong bulbs	16	6	2	3
....." strong bulbs	12	6	1	9
....." monster bulbs	21	0	3	0
.....Blush	12	6	1	9
.....Blue	10	6	1	6
.....Straw-coloured	24	0	3	6
.....Extra Early				

Harbinger 24 0...3 6

Hyacinthus ame-

thystinus, per 100,

6/6; per doz. 1 0... ..

Hyacinthus azureus. See

Muscari azureum.

*Hymenocallis p. doz. each

amancaes

* " calathinus

*Imantophyllum

miniatur

* " cyrtantbiflorum

Iris, English.

s.	d.
.....100 in 20 varieties	12 6
.....50 " 20	6 6
.....20 " 20	3 0
.....Barr's Choice Mixed, 1000, 50/-; 100, 5 6; doz.	0 10
.....Named varieties in mix- ture, 100, 10/6; doz.	1 6

Iris, English—*contd.*

p. doz. each

Quantity

Quantity	p. doz.	each
.....Blanche Fleur, per 100, 15/-	2 3	0 3
.....Emma	4 6	0 5
.....Graaf Bentink, per 100, 15/-	2 3	0 3
.....Grande Celeste	3 6	0 4
.....Hypocrates, per 100, 15/-	2 3	0 3
.....King of Blues, per 100, 17/6	2 6	0 3
.....La Charmante, per 100, 17/6	2 6	0 3
.....Mountain of Snow	3 6	0 4
.....Mont Blanc, per 100, 17/6	2 6	0 3
.....Ruby, " 12/6	2 0	0 3
.....Simon, " 15/-	2 3	0 3
.....Vainqueur, per 100, 12/6	2 3	0 3

Iris, Spanish.

100 in 25 varieties

50 " 25

Extra choice mixture,

p. 1000, 21/-; p. 100, 2 6

Thunderbolt,

p. 100, 10/6; p. doz. 1 6

Avalanche

Blue Beauty

California

Cantab

Carmen

Catherina

Chrysolora

Golden King

Laara

Lemon Queen

Princess Ida

Snowball

Snow Queen

Sunset

The Moor

Iris, Beautiful Bulbous Species.

Alata

" alba

" Leichtlini

Assyriaca, new

Atrofusca

Atropurpurea

Bakeriana

Bismarckiana

Boissieri

Caucasica

Cristata

Fordiae

Fimbriata

Flavissima Bloudovii

Gatesii

Grant Duffi

Helenae (Marise)

Iberica

Juncea

" pallida, new

Leichtlini

Lorteti

Lupina

Lusitanica

Orchioides

Pavonia major

per 100, 6/6

Persica, per 100, 8/6

Reticulata, 100, 40/-;

p. doz. 5/6 & 7/6;

each 6d. & 8d.

" var. Histrio

" var. Histrioides

" Major

" Krelagei

Rosenbachiana

Sindjarensis

Sisyrrinchium

Stylosa. See Unguicularis.

Susiana, p. 100, 50/-

Tingitana " 40/-

Tuberosa " 10/6

Unguicularis

" alba

" speciosa

Vartani

Ixia.

6 ea. of 20 varieties

3 ea. of 20

3 ea. of 12 " 4/6 & 6/6

1 ea. of 12 " 2 6

Barr's Rainbow mix-

ture, 1000, 25/-; p. 100, 3 6

Azorea

Beauty of Norfolk

Bucephalus

Conqueror

Ixia—*continued.*

per doz.

Quantity

Quantity	per doz.
.....Crateroides, p. 100, 4/6	0 8
.....Donnatello	2 6
.....Elvira	2 6
.....Emperor of China	3 6
.....Erubescens major	1 6
.....Excelsior	1 3
.....Golden Drop	1 0
.....Humbert	2 6
.....La Favorite	1 3
.....Lady Slade	1 3
.....Magnifica	1 6
.....Magnum bonum	1 3
.....Nitens	1 6
.....Proestans	1 6
.....Queen of Roses	3 6
.....Viridiflora	5 6
.....Vulcan	1 6
.....White Queen	2 6

Lilium

Lilium Sinterisii

" tataricum (Pallasi)

p. 100, 12/6 2 0...0 3

" macranthum

Jonquil, Single, p. 1000,

21/-; p. 100, 2/6;

" extra large bulbs,

p. 100, 4/-; p. doz. 8d.

" double, per 100, 15/-;

per doz. 2/3

campenelle,

and Queen Anne's

Double. See Daf-

fodil Catalogue.

Lachenalia Cami,

per doz. 10/6...1 0

" fragrans

" glaucina

" Nelsoni

" pendula

" quadricolor

" tricolor,

100, 10/6; doz. 1/6...0 2

" aurea

" luteola

" pallida

Leucojum Autumnale,

p. 100, 15/-; per doz. 2/3 0 3

" Trichophyllum,

per doz. 3/6 0 4

" Aestivum, p. 1000, 45/-;

p. 100, 5/-; p. doz. 9d.

" smaller bulbs for

naturalisation, per 1000,

30/-; p. 100, 3/6

" Hernandezii, p. dz. 2 6 0 3

Lilium—continued.

Quantity each—s. d.

.....Catesbaei 1 6

.....Chalcedonicum (Scarlet Turk's Cap) doz. 10/6 1 0

....." Ex. large bulbs, 15/- 1 6

.....Columbianum 1 3

.....Concolor 1 0

....." coridion 1 0

.....Croceum (The Cottager's Orange Lily) p. doz. 3/6 0 4

.....Davuricum erectum per doz. 3/6 0 4

....." Incomparable, 4/6 0 5

....." Sappho 4/6 0 5

....." fine mixed varieties p. 100, 17/6; doz. 2/6 1 0

.....Giganteum, monster bulbs, each 5/6, 7/6, & 10/6 10 6

.....Grayi 2 0

.....Hansonii 2 6

.....Henryi 5 6

.....Humboldtii 2 6

.....Japonicum colchesteri 3/6 & 5/6 5 6

.....Krameri, extra strong, doz. 10/6 & 15/-; ca. 1/- & 1 6

.....Leichtlini per doz. 21/- 2 0

.....Longiflorum albo-marginatum 1 6

....." Harrisii (The Bermuda or Easter Lily), Strong bulbs, p. doz. 10/6 1 0

....." Extra strong bulbs, p. doz. 15/- 1 6

....." monster bulbs, doz. 21/-; each 2/- & 2 6

....." robustum, Strong bulbs, per 100, 30/-; p. doz. 4/6 0 5

....." Ex. strong, 6/6 0 7

....." Takesima, p. doz. 4/6 0 5

.....Maritimum 2 6

.....Martagon per doz. 4/6 0 5

....." album 2 6

....." dalmaticum 2 6

.....Monadelphum szovitzianum p. doz. 18/- 1 9

.....Nepalense each 3/6 & 4/6 4 6

.....Pardalium type, p. doz. 4/6 0 5

....." Bourgaei, 7/6 0 8

....." Californicum, 10/6 1 0

....." Michauxii, 5/6 0 6

....." Parviflorum, 18/- 1 9

....." mixed, per 100, 32/-; per doz. 4/6 1 0

.....Parvum doz. 10/6 1 0

.....Philadelphicum p. doz. 10/6 1 0

.....Pomponium, true, 7/6 0 8

.....Pyrenaicum flavum, 4/6 0 5

.....Rubescens 3 6

.....Speciosum alb. Kraetzerei strong flowering bulbs, per doz. 10/6 1 0

....." Ex. strong, 15/- 1 6

....." album verum, 18/- 1 9

....." Melpomene, strong bulbs, p. doz. 7/6 & 10/6; 8d. & 1 0

.....Speciosum punctatum, p. doz. 6/6 0 8

....." purpureum, 7/6 0 8

....." rubrum 100, 35/-; 5/6 0 6

.....Sulphureum 3/6 & 5/6 5 6

.....Superbum per doz. 7/6 0 8

.....Testaceum 10/6 1 0

.....Tigrinum Fortunei, doz. 3/6 0 4

....." flore-pleno 3/6 0 4

....." splendens, p. 100, 17/6 per doz. 2/6 0 3

.....Thunbergianum " Alice Wilson 3/6 0 3

....." alutaceum, Prince of Orange, per 100, 25/-; per doz. 3/6 0 4

....." armeniacum, 8/6 0 9

....." macranthum, 15/- 1 6

....." Beauty, 15/- 1 6

....." bicolor, 7/6 0 8

....." "Crimson Beauty" per doz. 10/6 1 0

....." flore-pleno 15/- 1 6

....." fulgens atrosanguineum per doz. 5/6 0 6

....." G. F. Wilson, 15/- 1 6

....." Othello, 12/- 1 3

....." robustum, 5/6 0 6

....." satyrium, 5/6 0 6

....." Sunset, 15/- 1 6

....." Van Houttei, 4/6 0 5

....." Wallacei, 4/6 0 5

....." Willie Barr, 4/6 0 5

....." fine mixed varieties, p. 100, 12/6; p. doz. 2/- 1 0

.....Umbellatum. See Davuricum.

.....Wallichianum superbum. See Sulphureum.

.....Washingtonianum, doz. 21/- 2 0

Quantity s. d. s. d.

Lily of the Valley.

....." Extra strong selected clumps 12 0 1 3

....." Barr's selected Beilin Crowns, p. 1000, 60/-; p. 100, 6/6 1 0

....." Barr's Improved Alexandra strain, p. 100, 8/6 1 3

....." Dutch Crowns, p. 1000, 42/-; p. 100, 5/- 1 0

....." Lycoris aurca 2 6

....." radiata 1 0

....." Malvastrum Gilliesii (Modiola) 5 6 0 6

.....Methonica superba, See Gloriosa.

....." Milla biflora 5 6 0 6

....." uniflora, p. 1000, 21/-; 100, 2/6 0 4

....." violacea, p. 100, 2/6 0 4

....." Modiola geranoides. See Malvastrum Gilliesii.

....." Moutbretia Pottsii, p. 1000, 25/-; p. 100, 3/- 0 6

....." superba, p. 100, 10/6 1 6 0 2

....." crocosmaeflora, p. 1000, 35/-; p. 100, 4/6 0 8

....." aurea, p. 100, 10/6 1 6 0 2

....." Bouquet Parfait, p. 100, 12/6 1 9 0 2

....." Drap d'or, p. 100, 10/6 1 6 0 2

....." Etoile de Fen, 100, 12/6 1 9 0 2

....." Pluie d'or, p. 100, 12/6 1 9 0 2

....." Rayon d'or, p. 100, 10/6 1 6 0 2

....." Solfaterre, p. 100, 12/6 1 9 0 2

....." Talisman, 3 6 0 4

....." Transcendent, p. 100, 12/6 1 9 0 2

....." Mixed Seedlings, p. 1000, 55/-; p. 100, 6/6; p. doz. 1/- 1 6

....." Morphixia paniculata buff 1 6

....." rosea 1 6

....." lutea 1 6

....." Muscari conicum " Heavenly Blue" p. 100, 15/- 2 3 0 3

....." armeniacum, p. 100, 12/6 1 9 0 2

....." azureum, 15/- 2 3 0 3

....." Freynianum 10 6 1 0

....." Botryoides coeruleum, per 1000, 15/-; p. 100, 1/9 0 3

....." album, p. 1000, 25/-; p. 100, 3/- 0 6

....." candidum 4 6 0 5

....." pallidum p. 100, 6/6 1 0

....." grandiflorum 5 0 0 6

....." Comosum, p. 100, 8/6 1 3 0 2

....." Heldreichii 7 6 0 9

....." moschatum major 5 6 0 6

....." flavum 2 2 0 3

....." neglectum majus, p. 100, 8/6 1 3

....." paradoxum p. 100, 7/6 1 3 0 2

....." plumosum monstrosus, p. 100, 3/6 0 6

....." azureum pygmaeum, 1 6

....." Botryoides leucophaeus 5 6

....." szovitzianum 2 3

NARCISSUS POLYANTHUS.

Quantity s. d. s. d.

.....100 in 12 splendid vars. 25 0

.....50 in 12 13 6

.....24 in 12 7 0

.....12 in 12 3 9

.....Barr's Choice mixed, p. 100, 7/6; p. doz. 1/3

.....Polyanthus Narcissi, White-Petalled Varieties. p. doz. each s. d. s. d.

.....Bazelman Major 10 6 1 0

.....COURONNE BLANCHE 2 6 0 3

.....Gloriosus, p. 100, 12/6 2 3 0 3

.....Grand Monarque p. 100, 12/6 2 3 0 3

.....Her Majesty 4 6 0 5

.....Maestro 6 6 0 8

.....Mont Cenis, p. 100, 15/- 2 6 0 3

Narcissus Polyanthus—continued.

Quantity p. doz. each s. d. s. d.

.....Orientalis, p. 100, 6/6 1 3 0 2

.....Paper White "Early Snowflake," 100, 8/6 1 6 0 2

.....Queen of Netherlands 3 6 0 4

....." Scilly Isles " White, p. 100, 6/6 1 0 0 2

.....White Perfection, p. 100, 15/- 2 6 0 3

.....Polyanthus Narcissi, Yellow-Petalled Varieties.

.....Adonia 4 6 0 5

.....Apollo, per 100, 12/6 2 3 0 3

.....Bathurst, p. 100, 15/- 2 6 0 3

.....Charles Dickens, p. 100, 15/- 2 6 0 3

.....Grand Soleil d'Or p. 100, 10/6 1 9 0 2

.....Jaune Supreme, p. 100, 12/6 2 3 0 3

.....La Comtesse 3 6 0 4

.....Sir I. Newton, p. 100, 15/- 2 6 0 3

.....Narcissus Double Polyanthus.

.....Double Roman, p. 100, 6/6 1 3 0 3

.....Narcissus Intermedius (Tazettas).

.....Bifrons, p. 100, 10/6 1 6 0 2

.....Sunset 10 6 1 0

NARCISSUS.

Sacred Lily of China and Japan.

.....Very large bulbs, 12 for 7/6; 3 for 2/- 0 9

.....Fine large bulbs, p. doz. 5/6; 3 for 1/3 0 6

.....Fancy Japanese Bowls for 1 bulb, 1/- & 1 3

.....For 2 bulbs, 1/6.....For 3 bulbs, 2/.....For 4 bulbs, 3/.....For 6 bulbs, 4/.....For 8 bulbs, 5/6.....For 10 bulbs, 7/6

.....Small Pebbles, p. quart, 6d.

NARCISSUS (Daffodils).

See page 7 of Order Form.

Quantity p. doz. each s. d. s. d.

.....Nemastylis Pringlii 1 0

.....Nerine Sarniensis 7 6 0 9

....." undulata 1 6

....." New Seedling Hybrids 12 0 1 3

.....Ornithogalum arabicum 3 6 0 4

....." aureum 7 6 0 8

....." lacteum 10 6 1 0

....." montanum 2 0 0 3

....." nutans, 100, 5/6 0 10

....." pyramidale 6 6 0 7

....." umbellatum splendens, p. 100, 4/6 0 8

.....Oxalis cernua var. Bermudiana, p. 100, 15/- 2 3 0 3

.....Pancratium illyricum 6 1 0 0

....." maritimum 5 6 0 6

....." Phaedranassa chloracea 4 6 0 6

....." schizantha 1 0

....." ventricosa 1 0

.....Polianthes tuberosa, See Tuberose.

....." Polygonatum officinale p. 100, 10/6 1 6

....." macrophyllum 7 6 0 9

....." multiflorum, p. 100, 10/6 1 6 0 2

....." stellatum, p. 100, 21/- 3 0 0 4

....." Thunbergii, p. 100, 21/- 3 0 0 4

....." verticillatum, p. 100, 21/- 3 0 0 4

....." variegatum, p. 100, 42/- 5 6 0 6

.....Puschkinia Libanotica compacta, 100, 7/6 1 3 0 2

Ranunculus, Barr's Giant Turco-Persian for Bedding.

Quantity s. d.

.....Orange-Scarlet p. 100 3 6

.....Crimson-Scarlet 3 6

.....Crimson-Rose 5 6

.....White 3 6

.....Yellow 5 6

.....Pale Primrose 5 6

.....Choice Mixture, p. 1000, 35/- 4 0

.....5 roots each 18 Choice Named Sorts 7 6

.....3 " " 5 9

Ranunculus, Double Turbau or Turkish for Bedding.

Quantity s. d.

.....50 each 8 varieties 15 0

.....30 " 8 " 9 6

.....20 " 8 " 6 6

.....10 " 8 " 3 6

.....Bright Yellow 2 6 0 4

.....Crimson 2 6 0 4

.....Crimson-black 2 6 0 4

.....Rich Golden-yellow 2 6 0 4

.....Orange 3 6 0 6

.....Rose-carmine 3 6 0 6

.....Scarlet 2 6 0 4

.....Spotted 2 6 0 6

.....White 7 6 1 3

.....Viridiflora, p. 1000, 30/- 3 6 0 0

.....Extra fine mixed, p. 1000, 18/- 2 0 0 0

Ranunculus, Double-Persian.

Splendid selection of colours in mixture, p. 1000, 15/-; p. 100, 2/-

....." Richardia Africana, established in pots. p. doz. 18/-, 25/-, & 30/-; each, 1/9, 2/6, & 3/6

....." Little Gem 7 6 0 9

....." albo-maculata, p. 100, 15/- 2 3 0 3

....." hastata 24 0 2 6

....." Aurata 2 6 6

....." Elliotiana 21 0

....." Rigidella immaculata 2 6 6

....." Romulea Clusii 3 6 0 4

....." rosea, var. Leichtlini 2 6 6

....." speciosa, p. 100, 4/6 0 8

Roses for Autumn-planting. See page 7.

.....Sanguinaria canadensis major, p. 100, 8/6 1 3 0 2

.....Schizostylis coccinea, p. 100, 7/6 1 3

.....Scilla Sibirica, p. 1000, 21/-; p. 100, 2/6

....." extra strong selected bulbs, p. 1000, 25/-; p. 100, 3/-; p. doz. 6d.

....." a few very large bulbs, p. 100, 4/6; p. doz. 8d.

....." var. Taurica, p. 100, 12/6; p. doz. 1/9.

....." alba, p. 100, 30/-; p. doz. 4/6; ea. 6d.

....." amena, p. doz. 3/6; ea. 4d.

....." Bifolia, p. 1000, 30/-; p. 100, 3/6; p. doz. 6d.

....." extra large bulbs, p. 100, 4/6; p. doz. 8d.

....." alba, doz. 5/6; ea. 6d.

....." rosea, doz. 5/6; ea. 6d.

.....Scilla campanulata p. 100 p. doz. grandiflora 6 1 0 1

....." aperta 10 6 1 6

....." alba 4 6 0 8

....." compacta 10 6 1 6

....." Emperor 10 6 1 6

....." Empress 10 6 1 6

....." rosea 5 6 0 1

....." grandiflora 10 6 1 6

....." nutans rosea 5 6 0 10

....." grandiflora 10 6 1 6

....." patula alba 1 9

....." major 7 6 1 3

....." rosea 12 6 1 9

....." pyramidalis 8 6 1 3

....." alba 3 6

....." rosea 3 6

....." Choice mixed, p. 1000, 30/- 3 6 0 6

....." English Blue Bells, p. 1000, 25/- 3 0 0 6

....." English Red Bells, p. 1000, 42/- 4 6 0 8

....." White Bells, p. 1000, 42/- 4 6 0 8

.....Scilla autumnalis p. doz. each p. 100, 7/6 1 3 0 2

....." japonica 4 6 0 5

....." ciliaris 7 6 0 8

....." hyacinthoides 4 6 0 6

....." italica 4 6 0 6

....." peruviana 4 6 0 5

....." verna 4 6 0 5

.....Snowdrop. See Galanthus.

.....Snowflake. See Leucojum.

.....Solomon's Seal. See Polygonatum.

.....Sparaxis, 5 each of 12 varieties 3 6

....." 3 ea. of 12 vars. 4 0

....." tricolor, 100, 6/6; doz. 1 0

....." mixed colours, 1000, 22/6; 100, 2/6; dz. 0

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Narcissus Incomp.—continued.			
Quantity	per doz.	each	s. d. s. d.
.....Gwyther, p. 100, 18/6	2	6	0 3
.....Hogarth.....	7	6	0 8
.....James Bateman.....	17	6	1 9
.....King of Netherlands			
per 100, 22/6	3	6	0 4
.....Leedsii...per 100, 6/6	1	0	0 0
.....Lorenzo, per 100, 8/6	1	3	0 0
.....Lulworth.....	7	6	0 0
.....Mabel Cowan.....	21	0	2 0
.....Magog, per 1000, 45/-			
per 100, 5/-	0	9	0 0
.....Mary Anderson.....	10	6	1 0
.....Poiteau.....	5	6	0 6
.....Prince of Wales			
per 100, 35/-	5	6	0 6
.....Prince Teck, p. 100, 21/-	3	0	0 4
.....Princess Mary.....	10	6	1 0
.....Queen Bess			
per 100, 17/6	2	6	0 3
.....Queen Sophia.....	36	0	3 6
.....Semi-Parvatus			
per 100, 35/-	5	0	0 6
.....Sir Watkin			
per 100, 25/-	3	6	0 4
.....Splendens.....	6	6	0 8
.....Stella...per 1000, 25/-			
per 100, 3/-	0	6	0 0
.....Titan.....per 100, 7/6	1	3	0 2

NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS.
Double Varieties.
.....Aurantius plenus
(Butter and Eggs),
per 1000, 35/-
per 100, 4/- 0 8... 0 0 | | ||Primrose Queen | | | |
per 100, 30/-	4	6	0 6
.....Albus plenus aurantius (Eggs and Bacon or Orange Phoenix), p. 100, 9/6	1	6	0 2
.....Albus plenus sulphureus (Codlins and Cream), Sulphur Phoenix, p. 100, 35/-	5	0	0 6
.....White Queen.....	3	6	0 0

NARCISSUS BARRII.
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.....Conspicuous
extra strong bulbs
per 1000, 150/-
per 100, 17/6 | | ||Crown Prince..... | 55 | 0 | 5 0 |
.....Dorothy E. Wemyss.....	15	0	0 0
.....Flora Wilson			
per 100, 80/-	10	6	1 0

Narcissus Bartii.—continued.			
Quantity.	per doz.	each	s. d. s. d.
.....General Murray			
per 100, 10/6	1	6	0 0
.....Golden Gem, 100, 10/6	1	6	0 0
.....Golden Mary			
per 1000, 35/-			
per 100, 4/-	0	8	0 0
.....Maurice Vilmorin			
per 100, 35/-	5	6	0 6
.....Miriam Barton			
per 100, 10/6	1	6	0 2
.....Orphee, per 100, 12/6	1	9	0 2
.....Sensation.....	24	0	2 6
.....Siddington.....	30	0	3 0

NARCISSUS LEEDSII.
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.....Leedsii, per 1000, 30/-
per 100, 3/6 0 6... 0 0 | | ||Amabilis, p. 1000, 60/- | | | |
per 100, 7/-	1	0	0 0
.....Beatrice.....	12	0	1 3
.....Duchess of Brabant			
per 100, 25/-			
per 100, 3/-	0	6	0 0
.....Duchess of Westminster.....	25	0	2 6
.....Elegans.....	15	0	1 6
.....Fanny Mason			
1000, 50/-; 100, 5/6	0	10	0 0
.....Gem.....	21	0	2 0
.....Grand Duchess			
per 100, 70/-	9	0	0 10
.....Hon. Mrs. Barton.....	12	0	1 3
.....Katherine Spurrell.....	36	0	3 6
.....Madge Matthew.....	12	0	1 3
.....M. Magdaline de Graaff, p. 100, 60/-	8	0	0 9
.....Minnie Hume,			
per 100, 15/-	2	3	0 3
.....Mrs. Langtry,			
per 100, 35/-	5	6	0 6
.....Oddity.....	5	6	0 0
.....Palmerston, 100, 21/-	3	0	0 4
.....Princess of Wales.....	15	0	1 6
.....Superbus.....	3	6	0 4

NARCISSUS MONTANUS.
.....Montanus, selected..... 17 | 6 | 0 8 |

NARCISSUS HUMEL.
.....Hume's Concolor..... 7 | 6 | 0 8 ||Hume's Giant, 100, 21/- | 3 | 0 | 0 4 |

NARCISSUS BACKHOUSEI.
.....Backhousei..... 21 | 0 | 2 9 ||Joseph Lakin..... | 21 | 0 | 2 0 |
.....Wolley Dod.....	7	6	0 8
.....William Wilks,			
p. 100, 15/-	2	3	0 3

NARCISSUS MACLEAIL.			
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Quantity.	per doz.	each	s. d. s. d.
.....Macleail, per 100, 7/6	1	3	0 2

NARCISSUS NELSONI.
.....Nelsoni major
p. 100, 32/- | | ||Aurantius..... | 4 | 6 | 0 5 |
.....Minor...per 100, 12/6	2	0	0 3
.....Mrs. Backhouse			
per 100, 60/-	8	6	0 9
.....Pulchellus, „ 35/-	5	0	0 6
.....Stanley.....	2	6	0 6
.....William Backhouse			
p. 100, 27/6	4	0	0 5

NARCISSUS BERNARDI.
.....Bernardi..... 7 | 6 | 0 8 ||H. E. Buxton..... | 18 | 0 | 1 9 |

NARCISSUS TRIDYMUS.
.....A. Rawson..... 3 | 6 | 0 0 ||S. A. de Graaff | | | |
| per 100, 25/- | 3 | 6 | 0 4 |

NARCISSUS TRIANDRUS.
.....Albus (Angel's Tears)
per 100, 8/6 | | || 1 3... 0 0 | | | |
.....larger size bulbs			
per 100, 10/6	1	6	0 2
.....Calathinus.....	21	0	2 9
.....Concolor.....	10	6	1 0
.....Pulchellus.....	5	6	0 6

NARCISSUS ODORUS.
.....Odorus (Campenelle)
p. 1000, 25/-; p. 100, 3/- | | || 0 6... 0 0 | | | |
.....Heminalis, p. 100, 18/6	2	6	0 3
.....Rugulosus			
p. 1000, 30/-; p. 100, 3/6	0	6	0 0
.....Queen Anne's Double Jonquil.			
.....Odorus plenus.....	7	6	0 8

NARCISSUS JUNCIFOLIUS.
Miniature Rush-leaved Daffodil.
.....Juncifolius, p. 100, 6/6 | | || 1 0... 0 0 | | | |

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NARCISSUS BURBIDGEI.
.....Burbidgei
1000, 25/-; 100, 3/1 | | || 0 6... 0 0 | | | |
.....Agnes Barr, 100, 10/6	1	6	0 2
.....Baroness Heath			
per 100, 42/-	5	6	0 6
.....Beatrice, Heseltine.....	30	0	3 0
.....Constance.....	100	12	6 1 9
.....Crown Princess.....	15	0	1 6
.....Ellen Barr, p. 100, 17/6	2	6	0 3
.....Falstaff.....	17	6	2 6

Narcissus Burbidgei.—continued.			
Quantity.	per doz.	each	s. d. s. d.
.....John Bain „ 12/6	1	9	0 2
.....Little Dirk „ 21/-	3	0	0 4
.....Mercy Foster „ 10/6	1	6	0 0
.....Model.....	7	6	0 8
.....Mrs. C. Bowley.....	5	6	0 8
.....Ossian...per 100, 15/-	2	3	0 3
.....Princess Louise.....	2	6	0 3
.....St. John's Beauty.....	36	0	3 6
.....The Pet.....	8	6	0 9
.....Vanessa, per 100, 15/-	2	0	0 3

NARCISSUS POETICUS.
Early-flowering Varieties.
.....Ornatus, p. 1000, 40/-;
p. 100, 4/6 | | || 0 8... 0 0 | | | |
.....extra large bulbs			
p. 100, 6/6	1	0	0 0
.....Grandiflorus (true).....	15	0	1 6
.....Poetorum, p. 100, 12/6	1	9	0 2
.....extra-large bulbs.....	2	6	0 3
.....Præcox grandiflorus.....	10	0	0 0
p. 100, 60/-	8	6	0 9

May-flowering late Poeticus.
.....Poeticus of Linnaeus
per 100, 12/6 | | || 1 9... 0 2 | | | |
.....Poeticus of gardens extra strong bulbs, 1000, 25/-; 100, 3/-			
0 6... 0 0			
.....Poeticus of gardens smaller bulbs, 1000, 15/-; 100, 1/9			
0 4... 0 0			
.....Marvel.....	3	6	0 4
.....Pyrenean Poeticus 1000, 45/-; 100, 5/6			
0 10... 0 0			

Double White Poeticus.
.....Extra fine selected stock
1000, 35/-; 100, 4/- | | || 0 8... 0 0 | | | |
.....Good ordinary stock, 1000, 25/-; 100, 3/-			
0 6... 0 0			
.....Gracilis, p. 100, 12/6	1	9	0 2
.....Tenuior „ 15/-	2	3	0 3
.....Biflorus, 1000, 18/6; per 100, 2/-			
0 4... 0 0			
.....Schizanthus Orientalis, p. 100, 10/6	1	6	0 0

.....Jonquilla
1000, 21/-; 100, 2/6 | | || 0 3... 0 0 | | | |
.....Jonquilla, extra large bulbs...p. 100, 4/-			
0 8... 0 0			
.....Jonquilla flore-pleno per 100, 15/-			
2 3... 0 0			
.....Jonquilloides and Minutiflorus, mixed	24	0	0 0
.....Intermedius Bifrons per 100, 10/6	1	6	0 3
.....Sunset.....	10	6	1 0

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